HONGKONG, MONDAY, 25TH AUGUST, 1873. Auctions. To be Let.

Notices of Tiems. A A R. JOHN HORNOR WISNER is autho-ENGLISH AND CHINA MADE FURNI-IVL rized to sign our firm in Hongkong and

ness in his own name.

the said firm.

Hongkong, 19th August, 1873.

Amoy, 11th August, 1873.

Amoy, 15th August, 1873.

Amoy, 11th August, 1873:

30th of April last.

FRICKEL& Co.

FRICKEL & Co.

8, Queen's Road,

Hongkong, 24th June, 1878.

43. Queen's Road, and 22. Praya,

Rongkong, 24th June, 1873.

day by effication of time

NOTICE.

ROZARIO, MARCAL & Co.

(Signed) J. PATERSON,

Acting Vice-Consul.

WM. G. HALE & Co.

BULL, PURDON & Co.

Registered at the Porturuese Consulate.

NOTICE:

TABLE interest and responsibility of Mr. L.

1m 1266 Saigon, 28th July, 1873.

* ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions from ERNEST DEAUON, Enq., MACAO, to sell by Public Auction, THE Partnership bitherto existing between CHARLES VINCENT and ROBERT HAN THIS DAY. NAH CAIRNS, as Marine Surveyors, under the the 25th August, 1873, at 2 o'clock P.M., at Style of VINCENT & CAIRNS, ceased this

No. 6, Seymour Terrace, - > The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNI TURE, consisting of-Dumask Covered CHAIRS and COUCHES THE HOUSE No. 5, in Poel Street, undergo- CASES, CHROMO-LITHOGRAPHS, MIR. No. 1, Club Chambers, commodation and ont-offices, and a good view WHATNOT, ELEOTRO-FLATED, GLASS, Also, a Spacious GODOWN, on the fround gary WARDROBES, BEDSTEADS, OHESTS

> A Walnut Cottage PlANO, by J. Broadwood & Sons. London Ontalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell-by Public Auction, we TO-MORRQW, 26th August, 1873, at 3 o'clock P.M., at hi Office, Olub Chambers, -

the firm's name in liquidation. part of Inland Lot No. 641, situated at the back f the Lock Hospital, and measuring 100 by 120 feet, or less. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash on the fall of the nammer in Bank Notes, the expenses of trans-

For further particulars, apply to CHAS. H. MORGAN,

PUBLIC AUCTION. TIHE Undersigned has received instructions

from A. H. CHINOY, Esq., to sell by Pub. WEDNESDAY,

The whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNI-TURE, &c., comprising TABLES, UHAIRS ENGRAVINGS, MIRRORS, CHANDE-LIERS, LAMPS, SIDEBOARD, WHATNOT, BEDSTEAD, CROCKERY WARE, GLASS WARE, PLATED WARE, &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

In the Estate of Messre, TEXTOR & Co. MESSRS. BOURNE & Co. bave received instructions from E. HAGENS, Esq., Liquidator of the said Estate, under orders from

the 20th September, 1873, at 10 o'clock A.M., The following desirable PROPERTIES— Lot No. 29, containing 405 Teubues as per Title Deed, with Two-storied Substantial DWELLING HOUSE, one Two-storied SILK GODOWN, Two other GODOWNS, OUT HOUSES, Double-storied OFFICES, &c., &c. . Lut No. 46, containing 170 Tauboes as per Title Deed, with a large STONE GODOWN, PRESS HOUSE, with a Superior COTTON PRESS, and Watchman's HOUSE. Lot No. 158, containing 517 Tsubocs as per Title Deed, with Two storied HOUSE and GO

ized to sign the firm in Louidation. 684 Hongkong, 30th April, 1873. 1874, with the option of renewal for a further term of 3 years. The ICE HOUSE creeted on the lot is the Property of the present Lessoe. Lot No. 159A, containing 160 Tenboes as per PURDON & Co. will be conducted by the under-Title Deed, with Two-storied DWELLING signed, under the style or firm of FURDON & Mr. HENRY W. DAVIS is authorized to sign

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

> the business at Fouchow, and is authorized to sign the name of the Firm at that port JOHN G. PURDON. 685 Hongkong, 1st May, 1873.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE. their last examination, and make application I HE Steamer FOWAN left this for CAN-TON on MONDAY, the 18th August, Honorable JOHN SMALE, Chief-Justice of the at 6 P.M. Until further notice, this Steamer will ply between HONGKONG and CANTON, leaving HONGKONG on MONDAY, WED-NESDAY, and FRIDAY, at 6 P.M., and CANTON on TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY, at 5 P.M. Rates of Passage

Money will be the same as by the Company's Day Steamers. Printed Tariffs of Rates of Freight per Day and Night Steamers, can be had at the Com-By order of the Board of Directors. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

General Agents. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG tf 1341 Hongkong, 16th August, 1873. IN BANKRUPTOY. 1869-71.

NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY,

Company, being at the rate of One per cent. on the netamount of premia contributed by Shareholders, is now declared, and will be payable at the Office of the Hongkong and Shanghai BANKING COEPORATION, on and after THURS-DAY, the 14th current. accounted for to me, and that the Estate shall Warrants for the same will be issued in the not be responsible for any losses that may be

By order of the Court of Directors, JAMES KENNARD DAVIS, Acting Secretary. 7d 1365 Shanghai, 12th August, 1873. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHARRHOLDERS. THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-year ending on 30th Jone last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, say \$7.50 per Share of \$125, is payable on and after THURS-DAY, the 14th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested

JAMES GREIG. ti 1322 Hongkoug, 13th August, 1878. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY CTAHE Undersigned having been appointed

By order of the Court of Directors,

Agents to the above Company at this Fort, are prepared to grant Policies against Pire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or In Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

tf 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY

CAPITAL, TWO MILLION STEELING.

Intimations. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

號五十二月八英

of the Company, Glab Chambers, at 3 P.M. early despatch. PHIS DAY, the 25th August, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts, the Report of the Directors, and for declaring a Divi-

By order of the Board.

15d 1291 Hongkong 25th August, 1873. CURALED TENDERS will be received by the nndersigned until noon TO-MORROW, the 26th instant, for the RECONSTUCTION at Kowloon.

payment of all accounts against the late firm of further information obtained on application. ROZARIO, MARCAL & Co., I hold myself no. JOHN BREMNER. longer responsible for any debts or accounts of Naval Storekeeper. H. M.'s Naval Yard, A. A. MARCAL.

Hongkong, 15th August, 1873. [11d 1337 HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

he style or firm of ROZARIO, MARCAL & Co., | 1 CHAMBER will be held on WEDNES-Printers, at Facehow and this Port, was dis- DAY, the 27th instant, at 3 o'clock P.M., at the solved by muinal consent, on the 31st July last. Rooms of the Chamber, CITY HALL, to receive All outstanding accounts at Amoy will be the Report of the Committee and Statement of nettled by Mr. A. A. MARCAL, who will use Accounts of the Secretary for the Hulf-year ending June 30th, 1873. . By order.

10d 1352 Hongkong, 13th August, 1873. HONGKONG URICKET CLUB.

the 27th instant, at 6 P.M. W. S. YOUNG. ·8d 1364 Hongkong, 20th August, 1873.

NOTICE. * \HE interest and responsibility in our firm of Mr. John H. Smith ceased on the UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF -CANTON.

CAPITAL-1,250,000 DOLLARS, IN 500 SHARES OF \$2,500 EACH.

or \$500 per Share. Provisional Committee. -

N and after the 1st July, our business will be REMOVED to No. 43, Queen's Road, and 22, Praya, - Mesers. L. FRICKEL & Co., -THOMAS PYKE, Esq., of Mesers. Birley & Co. and carried on in conjunction with that firm, S. D. Sassoon, Esq., of Messre, David Sassoon, Sons & Co. A. Joost, Eeq., of Messrs. Siemssen & Co.

H. LOWCOCK, Eaq., of Messrs. Gibb, Livingston The Hon, P. Rynie, of Messrs. Turner & Co. I N reference to the above advertisement, we The Hon. JAS. WHITTALL, of Mesers. Jardine,

> H. B. LEMANN, Esq., of Messrs. Gilman & Co. T a GENERAL MEETING held on TOESDAY, the 1st July, 1873, it was

resolved to continue the Society from the 1st of January, 1874, on the basis of a continuous Office, with an annual reallotment of the Shares, THE co-partnership bitherto existing beand to increase the number of Shares to 500 of tween ISAAC M. BUIL. JAMES PURDON, \$2,500 each, with \$500 per Share paid up, in-JOHN G. PURDON, And S. HUBBARD CLARKE, stend of 250 Shares of \$5,000, with 1,000 per in Hongkong and China, under the name or Share raid up. style of "Bull, Purdon & Co.," ceased this

in the subjoined form, will be received until Outstanding accounts will be settled by either Noon of Saturday, the 15th November next, at of the partners, who for that purpose are authothe Office of the Society in Hongkong, and until Noon of Saturday, the 1st November next, at the several Agencies of the Society. Forms of Application for Shares are obtain-

1371TH reference to the above notice, the able from the Secretary in Hongkong, and from YV business heretofore carried on by Bull, | the Society's Agents at the various ports. By order of the Provisional Committee.

> To the Provisional Committee of the Union Insurance Society of Canton. GENTLEMEN.--

I hereby request that you wi'l allot to Shares in the above Society, and agree to accept such Shares or any less number you may allot to....., and agree to pay the First Call of Five Hundred Dollars per Share, and all subsequent Calls, and to subscribe the

Articles of Association when called upon to do

Gentleman. Your obedient Servant Name Address..... NOTICE.

HONGKONG PIER AND GODOWN COM PANY, LIMITED.

ITHE business of the above Company will be L CLOSED from the 1st August proximo, until further notice.

By order, MICHAEL MOSS. Secretary.

(LIMITED.)

tf 1231 Hongkong, 30th July, 1873. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

NOTICE.

By order, ED. BAKER,

33d 1223 Hongkong, 29th July, 1873. COMPANY.

against Fire on First class Buildings, to an extent of \$10,000. A discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the current local rates will be allowed on all premium charged for insurance; such discount

being deducted at the time of the issue of po-RUSSELL & Co., ly 15 Hongkong, 1st January, 1873. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE !

Chief Manager. the extent of \$60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored thereon,

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & 00. of Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.

Not exceeding Ten days i of the annual rate Above 3 months

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Inimations

PRICE \$24 PER MONTH

FOR NEW YORK, (To follow the Brit'sh Bargue " Chinaman.") THE A 1 16 years British Clipper Ship

"DOUNE CASTLE! THE Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of 887 tons. Register, McDairmil, Master, will the Sharebolders will be held at the Office load at Whampon and Hongkong, and will have For Freight apply to

tf 1387 Hougkong, 25th Angust, 1873. WANTED BY A LUROPEAN. SITUATION to attend on a Lady or A. Family in the Colony, or leaving the Colony preferred. A good needle-woman, and willing to make hereelf generally useful. Address, "A.," Daily Press Office. tf 1388 Hongkong, 25th August, 1873

STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED INROM and after MONDAY, the 25th inst. To the WHITE CLOUD will run between ;

MACAO and CANTON, in the place of the -SPARK. By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents.

LL claims against the British Ship Sir Harry Parkes must be sent in to the Undersigned before the 27th inst., or they will not be acknowledged. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. 5d 1381 Hongkong, 23rd August, 1873.

NOTIFICATION. DENTERS of LAND on the British Conces-De sion. Shamien, are requested to pay into H. M. Consulate the rent due by them for the year ending 4th September, 183; and it is bereby notified, that any lots, apon which the ground rent is not paid by the 4th September next, will, under the conditions of Lease, revert

CHAS. T. GARDNER. Acting Vice-Consul.

H. M. Consulate, NOTICE.

P. & O. S. N. CO.

STEAM TO SOUTHAMPTON viz CANAL. THE BOKHARA, conveying the mails from ... Hongkong of 30th instant, will proceed to Southampton via the Suez Canal.

Superintendent. tf 1270 Hongkong, 7th August, 1873.

NTOTICE is hereby given, that the business of the undersigned in Hongkong is about being closed. All parties indebted to the firm are requested to make immediate payment; and all claims against the firm are requested to be sent in before the 31st day of August next, after which no claim will be allowed. Dated Hongkong, this 1st day of July, 1873. 1067] EDULĴEE FRAMJEE, SONS & Co.

Notices to Consiguees.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

MONSIGNEES per Company's steamer J ANTENOR are hereby notified that the cargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of the undersigned, in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 22nd August, 1873. Goods undelivered after 30th August, 1873,

will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

7d 1383 Hongkong, 22nd August, 1873. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Trafalgar having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk, by and into the Godowns Secretary. of Mesars. Norton, Lyall & Co., whence delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be sant on to Shanghai, unless notice to the contrary is received by the

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 25th Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. 7d 1359 Hongkong, 18th August, 1873.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

MONSIGNEES per Company's steamer oargo is being discharged into Craft, and landed

at the Godowns of the undersigned, in both cases it will lie at Consigners' risk. The cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 17th August, 1873. Goods undelivered after 25th August, 1873 will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

1354 Hongkong, 18th August, 1873. S. S. AMAZONE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. INDUS. I from London, in connection with the above steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are landed and stored at their risk in the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained from MONDAY, the 18th August OPTIONAL CARGO will be forwarded to its

destination, unless imtimation is received from the Consigners before moon TO-DAY, requesting it to be landed here. DAY, the 20th instant, at noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

Cargo remaining unclaimed after WEDNES undersigned. C. BERTRAND,

Principal Agent. 1244 Hongkong, 15th August, 1873. BRITISH SHIP SIR HARRY PARKES, FROM LONDON.

Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and storedat Consignees' risk

and expense. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. tf 1806 Hongkong, 12th August, 1873. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

C. EERTRAND, Principal Agent. Ex S. S. "Ara." 10th April, 1872. Ec " Tigre," 29th March, 1873.

Ez " Provence," 21d July, 1873.

Hongkorg, 11th August, 1873.

Aug. 22, Danube, Brit. str., 561, Hopkins, Bangkok 14th August, General.—TACK

Aug. 23, Americana, Brit. sh., 1,046, J. O. France, Cardiff 31st March, Coals .--Douglas Laprain & Co. Aug. 23, Emuy, Spanish str., 222, Artadi, Amoy 20th August, General-E. J.

Aug. 23, Max, Brit. sch., 247, Bruce, Newcastle, N.S.W., 6th July, Coals.—OLY-PHANT & Co.

Aug. 23, Acantha, Brit. str., 652, Young, Shanghai 19th August, General.-OLY-риант & Со.-Aug. 23, Indus, British steamer, 2,205, N. Stewart, Liverpool 2nd July, Port Said

17th, Suez 23rd, Aden 30th, Galle 9th August, and Singapore 17th, General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. Aug. 23, Aurora, Brit. bk., 295, Plettner, Saigon 12th August, Cape St. James 14th, 150 bales Cotton, 150 picula Fish,

5,000 piculs Rice. - CHINESE. Aug. 23, PRINCE ALFRED, Brit. bk., 258, Sim. Newcastle, N.S.W., 3rd July, 310 business transacted. tons Coals .- R. S. WALKER & Co. Aug. 23, ATLANTIC, Danish ship, 576, Gidlop, Newcastle, N.S.W., 8th June, 1,066

tons Coals. -R. S. WALKER & Co. Aug. 23, STARLIGHT, Siam. brig, 239, Benedietsen, Bangkok 6th August, General. ---CHINESE. Aug. 23, SOOWOOMBA, Brit. bk., 585, D. R.

Bolt, Newcastle, N.S.W., 9th June, Coals. -- ORDER. Aug. 24, Yung-ching, Chinese steamer, 600, Gibbon, Whampon 23rd August, General.-Chinese. Aug. 24, CATHARINE, Danish bark, 314, A.

Fisher, Newchwang 11th July, and Amoy 14th August, Oil and Beaus.— Bourjau & Co. Aug. 24, PRIAM, Brit. str., 1,572. Scale. Shanghai 19th August, General.—Bur-TERFIELD & SWIRE.

Aug. 24, NORNA, Brit. str., 606, Reeves, E.O. Swatow 23rd August, General.—Kwork Aug, 24, Ta-Lee, Ger. bark, 335, P. Thomsen. Chefoo 2nd August, General .-WM. PUSTAU & Co. Aug. 24, Runkon, British 3-m. sch., 204,

Watt, Chefoo 1st August, General -ARNHOLD, KARRERG & Co.

.Departures. Aug. 23, Tighe, str., for Saigon, &c. Aug. 23, GEO. M. ADAMS, for San Francisco. Aug. 23, STONEHOUSE, for Manila. Aug. 23, GERLONG, str., for Yokohama. Aug. 23, Avoca, str., for Shanghai. Aug. 23, NELUSKO, str., for Whampon, &c. Aug. 23, Augustina, for Whampon. Aug. 23, Columbia, for Whampos.

Aug. 24, Colima, for Passein. Aug. 24, MAURY, for Whampoa. Aug. 24, CAROLINE, for Hamburg. Aug. 24, CECUIA, for Macao. Aug. 24, Thales, str., for Swatov, &c. Aug. 24, Solo, for Hamburg.

Aug. 24, ANTENOR, str., for Shanghai.

Clearances. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, AUGUST 23RD. Thales, str., for Swatow, &c. Nelusko, str., for Whampoa. Angustina, for Whampoa. Columbia, for Whampoa. F. H. Drews, for Whampon. Maury, for Whampon. Solo, for Hamburg.

Belle Sauvage, for Manila.

Doriga, for Saigon.

Cecilia, for Macao. Ysabel, for Macao.

Passengers. Per Danube, str., from Bangkok :-Dr. Vrooman and 40 Chinese deck. Per Enuy, str., from Amoy:-For Manila .- 49 Chinese. Per Indus, str., from Liverpool :-1 European deck and 15 Chinese. Per Acantha, str., from Shanghai:-Mr. McInnis and 63 Chinese deck. Per Aurora, from Saigon :-2 Chinese:

Mrs. Sim and child. Per Priam, str., from Shanghai :-Mr. Fletcher and 21 Chinese. Per Norna, str., from Swutow :-224 Obinese. · Per Tigre, str., for Saigon, &c. :--For Singapore.-Mr. and Miss Vincent, Mr. Veguevon and 3 Chinese. For Suez .- Mr.

Per Prince Alfred, from Newcastle, N.S.W .:-

Munoz, Minister for Spain in Japan; Mesers, Bruz Lopes, Jose Marques, Nicolas Cabaneros, Garnier, Vigneroy, Greerey, Caonezes, burrent rates. Odoy and Freckchy. Per Thales, str., for Swatow, &c. :-

l cabin, and 50 Chinese deck.

Reports. The British steamship Acantha reports left Shanghai on 19th August, had fine weather throughout.

The British bark May reports left Newcastle, N.S.W., on 6th July, had light winds and fine weather throughout.

kok on 6th August, experienced fine weather with variable winds the whole of the passage. The Spanish steamer Emay reports left Amoy on 20th August, had calms till the night of the 22ad, when got light N.E. breeze.

The British back Aurora reports left Saigon

on 12th August, and Cape St. James on the 14th, had as far as, the Macclesfield Bank light S.W. winds; from thence moderate S.E. breezes with occasional squalls. The Danish bark Catharine reports left Newchwang on 11th July, had strong S.W. winds to Tong-ying, after which for two days moderate Northerly, winds, thence S.W. to Amoy, where arrived on the 10th August, and after

discharging part of cargo, left sgain on the

14th; from thence had calms and N.E. winds

till the 23rd, when got fresh N.E. breeze to ar-The British bark Prince Alfred reports left Newcastle, N.S.W., on 3rd July, experienced light and variable winds, chiefly from N. to W., to the S.E. trades, which got moderate to reaching the Equator, crossed on 21st July, in long. 149 E.: from thence to lat. 10 M. had baffling winds with heavy squalls, and much rain; from thence to Cape Engano, on the Luzon Coast, had light Easterly sinds and fine clear weather, and from thence to portlight S.E.

and E.N.E. winds. (For continuation of Shipping Reports see

third page.)

Auction Sales Today.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., At 2 P.M.,

CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL 5.000,000 of Dollars. RESERVE FUND 1,000,000 of Dollars.

Court of Directors: Chairman-S. D. Sassoon, Flsq. Deputy Chairman-W. H. FORBES, Esq. 1 T. B. Lomanu, Esq. Ad. André, Seq. R. R. Belikos, Keq. Thos. Pyke, Esq. Hop. R. Rowolt. A. F. Heard Esq.

Chief Manager. Hongkong-James Greig, Esq. Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq.

Landon Bankers—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. On Ourrent Deposit Accounts at the rate of per cent, per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:--For 3 months' 2 per cont. per annum

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Crodits-granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange Drafte-granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,

America, China and Japan. Mices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queon's Road East. tf 1062] Hongkong, 1st April, 1973. COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

TNOORPORATED by National Decrees of 7th and 8th March, 1848, and by Imperial Decrees of 25th July, 1854, and 31st December, RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CON-VENTION OF SOTH APRIL, 1862.

Francs. £ Sterling. PAID-TP CAPITAL 80,000,000 3,200,000 RESERVE FUND......20,000,000 800,000 HEAD OFFICE .- 14, Rue Bergère, Pacis. LONDON AGENCY.-144, Leadenhall Street, AGENCIES.-At Nantes, Lyons, Marseilles,

Roubaix, Brussels, Alexandria, Bombay, Caloutta, Hosgkong, Shangbai, Saigon, Saint Denis (Rede la Réunion,) and Yokohama. London Bankers—Union Bank of London

Hongrong Agency. Interest Allowed On current deposit accounts at the rate of 2 % per amum on the monthly minimum balances; 21 % subject to 15 days' notice of withdrawal; and 3 % subject to one month's notice. On Fixed Deposits :

For 3 months 3 1/2 per annum.

A. PHILIPPE, Acting Manager. Offices in Hongkong: Bank Buildings, Queen's Road. 876 Hongkong, 2nd June, 1873.

VICTORIA-FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HONGKONG, LIMITED. /INHIS Company, with its Head Office at Hongkong, and Agencies at the various Treaty Ports in China and Japan, is prepared to issue Policies of Insurance, at the current Tavern. rates of Premium at the respective places.

tf 557 Hongkong, 1st April, 1871.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. Return of Twenty per cent. (20%) will be made, on the Premium charged on all Insurances effected with this Office; such Return being payable on the issue of the Policy.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Imperial Fire Insurance Company. tf 1159 Hongkong, 24th June, 1872. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. TROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the

current local rates of premia will be allowed upon insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., tf 1192. Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. OUMAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON.

INCORPORATED 1859. CAPITAL, £1,000,000. TITHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies at current rates.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. of 1351 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867. For Saigon -Mr. Ebrahim and 3 Chinese. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. Humnicki. For Marseilles.-H.E. Rodriguez THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Com. pany, are prepared to grant Marine risks at

> tf 47] Hongkong, 6th March, 1868. TOOSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. CHAS. H. MORGAN, 1v 966 Hongkong, 18th June, 1873.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

(LIMITED). NOTICE. The Sium, brig Starlight reports left Bang. | DOLIGIES granted at current rates on Ma rine Risks to all parts of the World. In CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two-thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the net amount

> third being carried to Reserve Fund. OLYPHANT & Co., tf 951 Hougkong, 17th April, 1873. TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

THE undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept risks against Fire, subject to a bonus of 20 per cent. SLEMSSEN & Co.,

tf 39 Hongkong, 16th November, 1872.

THE CLOBE MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, LONDON. THE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE IN-SURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA. THE SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSU-

RANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG.

THE Attention of Shippers is called to the undersigned Agents of above named Companies, pany, and no claims or alterations will be subfor all Meamer-risks, subject to a brokerage of sequently adultted. 15 per cent. The "Costerling," as well as the "Globe," after paying the Shareholders a dividend of 10 per cent on their paid up Capital, distribute 25

per cent of the surplus of the profits pro rata

amongst such of the Insurers as have paid

during the year £500 and upwards in premium.

Particulars can be obtained at the Office of

SIEMSSEN & Co.. tf 40 Hongkong, 16th October, 1872.

TO LET. THE HOUSE No. 19, Elgin Street, opposite L to the Portuguese Club, ...

Apply to *** N. MODY & Co. 14d 1358 Hongkong, 19th August, 1873. TARINE Lot No. 121, Wanchi, fronting IVI on the Praya, now occupied by the HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY,

as a Ship and Timber Yard. Apply to S. E. BURROWS & SONS. tf 1350 Hongkong, 18th August, 1873.

TO LET. Ling repairs, buving a well, and good acfrom the Second Story. Floor of the House No. 17, corner of Peel Street and Gage Street.

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J. A DE CARVALHO. tf 1236 Hengkong, let August, 1873. TO LET. (Immediate Possession THE HOUSES Nos. 5 and 8, West Terrace. Apply to J. P. DA COSTA. East Point, or No. 7, Chancery Lane.

occupied by Mr. A. E. VAUCHEE.

tf 1221 Hongkong, 30th July, 1873. TO BE LET, (With immediate possession.) THE very fine and large HOUSE No. 3, ou Marine Lot, Praya East. For particulars, apply to the Spanish Procuration, Caine Road, No. 10. tf 1214 Hongkong, 29th July, 1873.

TO LET

THE HOUSE No. 1 in Caine Road, near the Italian Convent. -Apply to J. J. DOS REMEDIOS & Co. tf 1161 Hongkong, 19th July, 1873. TO LET. MOMMODIOUS GODOWN and OFFICE in Queen's Road. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

To LET. NHE HOUSES Nos. 35, 37, 41, 43, and 45 in Wyndham Street. J. J. DOS REMEDIOS & Co... of 1051 Hongkong, 28th June, 1873. TO LET. Possession on 1st July next.

tf 1147 Hongkong, 15th July, 1873.

THE Two HOUSES in Queen's Road West L known as the "Crown and Anchor' .For particulars, apply to GILMAN & Co., tf 1021 Hongkong, 25th Jane, 1873.

TO LET.

With immediate possession.

signed, and at present in the occupation of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. THE BORNEO CO., LIMITED No. 39, Queen's Road Central.

tf 950 Hongkong, 16th June, 1873.

FOR RENT. FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWN at Wanebi. Ś. E. BURROWS & SONS. tf 781. Hongkong, 20th May, 1873. TO BE LET.

vants. Possession can be had on let proximo. J. H. COX. 41. Queen's Road. tf 918 Hongkong, 10th June, 1873. With prompt possession.

NTO. 10, UPPER MOSQUE TERRACE, CORNER HOUSE, with good view; Four Rooms, Bath and Dressing Rooms, Outhouses, &c. Water laid on. Rent, Fifty Dollurs per month. Apply to T. G. LINSTEAD. tf 1109 Hongkong, 8th July, 1873.

VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPAN OF HONGKONG, LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1872. CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to fornish the undersigned with a list of their Contributions for the year ended 31st December, 1872, in order that the distribution of Twenty per cent. (20 %) of the Agent. Net Profits reserved for Contributors, may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next, will be adjusted by the Com-

pany, and no claims nor alterations subsquently admitted. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., 4m 1079 Hongkong, 1st July, 1873.

LIMITED. Adjustment of Bonus for the Year 1872. of Premia contributed by each, the remaining CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a list of their Contributions for the Year General Agents. ending 31st December last, in order that the Distribution of Twenty-five per cent. (25 °/0) of the Net Profits reserved for Contributors, may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the

> sequently admitted. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, 4m 1032 Hongkong, 1st July, 1873. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

> 31st October next, will be adjusted by the Com-

pany, and no claims or alterations will be sub-

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1872. current local rate of premia will be allowed CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the undersigned with a list of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the distribution of Twenty per cent. (20 %) of the Nett Profits reserved for Contributors, may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the low rates of Premiums charged by the 31st October next, will be adjusted by the Com-

> JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. tf 1069 Hougkong, 1st July, 1873; A. MILLAR & CO. LIOUSE, SHIP. AND STEAMBOAT PLUMBERS. COPPERSMITHS & BRASSFOUNDERS. No. 1, Queen's Road East and Nullah Lans.

Opposite H.M. Naval Dock Yard.

tf 387 Hongkong, 1st Murch, 1871.

China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co. 7d 1377 Hongkong, 21st August, 1873.

FURNITURE SALE.

Card and Centre TABLES, Carved BOOK RORS, DINING TABLE, SIDEBUARD, and OROCKERY WARE, LAMPS, Mahoof DRAWERS, Toilet GLASSES, Marble-top WASHSTANDS, and Dressing TABLES, &c.

1361 Hongkong, 19th August, 1873. PUBLIC AUCTION.

A PLOT of LAND,

fer to be paid by the purchaser, 1331 Hongkong, 15th August, 1873.

lie Auction, at his residence, No. 24, Hollywood the 27th day of August, 1873, at 2 o'clock P.M.,-

1384 Hongkong, 23rd August, 1873. the German Consul, to sell by public Auction, at their Rooms, No. 70, Main St., Yokohama,

DOWN, let at \$66 per month up to October,

HOUSE, OUT-HOUSES, STABLES, and GO-

IN BANKRUPTOY. NTOTICE .- EDWARD NORTON and ROBERT LYALL both of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkoug, trading as Morebants and Com THE HOUSE No. 13, Staunton Street, conmission Agents under the style or firm of _ / taining 7 Rooms. Side entrance for Ser-"NORTON, LYALL & Co," having been adjudged Bankrupts under a Petition for adjudication of bankruptcy filed in the Supreme Court of . Hongkong on the Eighth day of August, 1873, a public sitting for the said Bankrupts to pass for their discharge, will be held before the said Court, at the Supreme Court House; Victoria, Hongkong, on RIDAY, the 29th day of August, 1073, at Eleten of the clock in the forencon precisely. At this meeting proofs of the Debts of the

Creditors will be received. The Honorable WILLIAM HASTINGS ALEX-ANDER is the Official Assigner, and Messrs. Ed. SHARP & TOLLER are the Solicitors acting in the Bankruptcy. Supreme Court House, Hongkong, 19th August, 1873. [7d 1866-

Re NORTON AND ANOTHER, Bankrupts. N pursuance of an order of the Chief-Justice L dated this day, I hereby authorise you jointly to carry on the business of you, the said Bankrupts, from this date until the appointment of a Creditor's Assignee, provided always that the proceeds and profits thereof shall be

incurred in carrying on the same. Dated this ninth day of August, A.D. 1873. W. H. ALEXANDER, Registrar and Official Assignes. 1292 Hongkong, 9th August, 1873. LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE. 137, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON ESTABLISHED 1843. TIME Undersigned is authorised to accept

risks on behalf of this Office, by First

Class Steamers and Sailing Shins.

A. MCIVER, Agent, tf Hongkong, 1st July, 1867. Secretary. LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the

> upon insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., if 1193 Hongkong, 27th June, 1872. YANG TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAL

CAPITAL AND EURPLUS 765,000 TAELS.

DOLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rutes. This Association will, until further notice, provide out of the eaguings, first for an interest dividend of 15%, for shureholders on Capital, and thereafter distribute among Policy holders annually, in cash, ALL the profits of the Underwriting Business pro rata to amount of premium contributed.

to apply for Warrants.

FAH! Undersigned having been appointed Agent for the above Company at this and not exceed. 2 6 ., port, preprepared to grant Policies against Fire, ing. to the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or on Above 6 months the full annual rate. Goods stored therein. RUSSELL & Co., NORTON, LYALL & Co. tf 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. ti 1089 Hongkong, 9th July, 1872

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day by mutual consent. The said CHARLES ilend.

VINCENT retires, and the said ROBERT HAN-ROBERT DUNCAN NAH-CAIRNS will in future carry on the Busi-R. H. CAIRNS.

of the ROOF of H. M.'s STORE for COALS DEFERRING to my advertisement of 15th August, 1872-copy of which is berete Tenders to be addressed to the Naval Storeannexed. I beg to give notice that sufficient keeper, and endorsed "Tender of Buildings." time having clapsed for the presentation and · Plans and Specifications can be seen, and

[14d 1338 HE Partnership hitherto existing between D. ROZARIO and A. A. MARCAL, under THE Half-yearly General MEETING of the

A. NOEL BLAKEMAN,

THE ANNUAL MEETING will be held at the Hongkong Club on WEDNESDAY. HAUSCHILD, in our house, ceased from Honorary Secretary

F. BLACKHEAD & Co. tf 708 Houghong, 1st May, 1873. 1/2 M. AD. S. CORDES bas this day been ad-Vi mitted a partner in the firm A. CORDES & Co. PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$250,000; tf 458 Tientsin, 1st January, 1873.

under the amalgamated name of MACEWEN, MACEWEN & Co. | tf-1009

beg to announce that on and after the 1st Matheson & Co. July our business will be amalgamated with that of Messra. MACEWEN & Co., and conducted on. our premises, under the style of MACEWEN, L FRICKEL & Co.

Applications for Shares in the new Society,

the name of the Firm, and will retain the management of the business at Hongkong and Mr. JOHN ODELL will continue to conduct

CHAREHOLDERS of the Hongkong Ho-TEL COMPANY, LIMITED, are requested to and Final DIVIDEND in the above the DIVIDENT are warrants for at 10 A.M. SATURDAY, the 2nd August.

> BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE THE Undereigned are now prepared to grant, on behalf of the above Company, Policies

THE Undersigned having been appointed A gents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to

THEOM and after this date the following rates will be charged SHORT PERIOD insurances, viz:-Above 1 month, 1 and not exceed.

Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. FD_2 ti 675 Hongkong, 13th August, 1869.

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO

tf 1374 Hongkong, 21st August, 1973.

to Her Majesty's Government.

22d 1318 Canton, 20th July, 1873.

A. McIVER.

undersigned before 4 P.M. TO-DAY. instant will be subject to rent.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. NOTICE

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ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named

CONSIGNEES of the following cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery; this Cargo has been handed and stored at their risk and expense. No fire insurance has been effected.

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At No. 16, Gough Street, Hongkong, on the 23 d instant, Mrs. J. H. Dos Remedios, of a

Honosone, August 25th, 1873.

THE difficulty of settling affairs of local or municipal government in Hongkong, seems | turday, 23rd instant. to be, in inverse ratio to their magnitude. Matters which in another place would scarcely be the subject of half an hour's discussion, are here brought forward over and over again in the Legislative Council, discussed in the lengthy, and often not very polite, correspondence between the officials and the general public. Among the unfortunate little affairs which seem destined never to be settled, is regard to what are reasonable precautions to dren, and the repression of certain abuses in prevent conflagration from this cause as was relation to Cuinese emigration. devoted at home to the disestablishment of the Irish Church, but with scarcely such happy result. The Irish Church question was settled, the matshed question is still in statu quo.

The correspondence which we gave on Friday last, forcibly illustrates the amount of public inconvenience resulting from this very · simple matter having been left unsettled. It will be seen by an extract from the Ordinances. which we give elsewhere, that the SURVEYOR-GENERAL appears to be the only person authorised to take steps for the removal of of the hauds by Arabs. matsheds in dangerous localities. At least, such is the construction which most people old die. The latest arrivals consisting of these would put upon the clauses, although we sold at 58d. understand that one of the magistrates once expressed himself willing to issue a summons upon the application of a private individual. Whether this was under special circumstances, or was in accordance with the strict reading of the Ordinance, we cannot say; but, it is quite clear that an ordinary person would be justified in concluding that the matter rested with the Surveyor-General alone. Upon this understanding, the Secretary of the China Fire Insurance Companyaddressed to that official a very politenote, calling his attention to two dangerous matsheds, and suggesting for his consideration the question whether he should exercise the powers vested in him for their removal. The reply was that he was not called upon to give opinions to brought forward for the defence. private people, and the applicant was advised

to himself address direct to the Government. The terms in which this answer was couch- The crew have arrived at Galle. ed were pointedly supercilious, and seemed to indicate that the question whether a matshed was dangerous to the neighbourhood in which it was placed, was far too trivial to be entertained by so high an officer as the Surveyor-General of Hongkong. One would imagine penalty not exceeding five pounds.—Ordinance that a matter of this kind was one which he No. 14 of 1845, Section III., Par. I. would consider his special duty to look after, the more so as he is the person designated in the Ordinance as called upon to do so. If the SURVEYOR-GENERAL cannot be addressed upon and unnecessary difficulties raised, with re-GENERAL would put down the matsheds or do so, it would have been easy to state so, and —Ordinance No. 8 of 1856, Section XIII. and Inspector Gray at this state so admirably discharge, been steered with sufficient marginto render during the past four years by the want of them. Three manual engines and six steam engines the applicant could have made further en- XVII.

quiries and have taken steps in whatever is the proper direction.

This point, however, requires to be ac-

curately defined, and if the matter rests with the Surveyor-General, something should be done towards defining also the cases in which he should act. It is quite clear that f several people in a neighbourhood are prepared to state that a given matshed is dangerous to property, some steps should be taken for its removal, and we can hardly see how the Surveyort-GENERAL could have felt-justified in ignoring the application which was made to him in No. 579, coming up the other end of the street, the manner he did. One of the matsheds in question has been the subject of very general complaints, which have been the louder as it rested. has been known that a gentleman in the SURVEYOR-GENERAL'S department; namely, the Inspector of Buildings, has taken special care in supervising the construction of the building, and cannot fail, therefore, to be fully aware of the danger larceny, and again on the 29th July was the Home in chairs; one of them was very So far from now desiring or being able to which exists. We understand that the permission at one time granted to officials in mended to be deported. the Surveyor-General's department to - have private practice has been long rescinded, and it does not, therefore, appear that the holders, \$26 each, for twelve months, in default second defendant, The first defendant then Leone brought us the news that on the 14th | tion pretended. I am sure I do not know how News. Inspector of Buildings has been looking over to be recommended to H.E. the Governor for gave him a blow on the face, and they both got of June the English troops and sallors retired | the case will go. the structure in question as a matter of

future be recognised in regard to all matters of this kind. With regard, however, to the matshed business generally, is it not within the powers of the Hongkong local administration to settle so simple a question as this upon some plain and intelligible basis? It can hardly be argued that the matter is not one of great importance, not withstanding the light manner in which it is regarded by the new SURVEYOR-GENERAL, What is mainly wanted is that the public should know definitely how they are to proceed with regard to it. Probably the law is very good, if ordinary people could only succeed in eliminating from vague Ordi-Yokohama..... Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Cc.Mr. E. J. Moss, Jupan Gazette nances and doubtful common law rights as to nuisances, what it actually is; but in a matter of this kind, it would hardly be too much to expect that there should be some very simple remedy available to every one, and explained if a way which can leave no doubt concerning it. In most places, a simple Municipal bye-law would meet the matter Sin Francisco, Mr. L. P. FISHER, 21, Mer- in a definite way-but, unfortunately, in Hongkong we are blessed with nothing less than Ordinances about everything, from small

ship. Although no very serious exception

can be taken to this, it is still a bal principle

that a Government official should act in any

other way than distinctly within his official

duties, and we trust that this principle will in

A correspondent, whose letter is published certainly seem an excellent way of settling room and hid on her bed; she remonstrated | The case was accordingly remanded. this question. If a suitable material can be with him, as people would talk, and knew she found for the purpose, without increasing expenditure beyond reasonable bounds, will be better that the erection of matsheds be prohibited altogether.

The steamer Chinkiang left Shanghai on that

The Mussageries Maritimes ateamer Ava, with

Two public meetings are announced for this afternoon, namely, that of the Hongkong and Whampon Dock, and of the City Hall share-

public prints, and form the subjects of Mr. Ernst Behre, as Consul-General for Austria, during the temporary absence of Mr. G. von Overbeck.

better protection of Chinese women and chil-

LATE TELEGRAMS.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."

London, 21st August, 1873. Obituary.—The Duke of Brunswick. THE TICHBORNE CLAIMANT. The Claimant's Solicitor has retire Jowing to

a difference with Dr. Kenealy. Loss of the S.S. "SINGAPORE." The Singapore has been totally lost off Cape Guardafui. The master and officers are drowned, except the third engineer, 36 are saved by him to loan him some money, and he

MEXICAN DOLLARS. Mexico has resumed coining dollars of the

The Bank rate of Discount has been reduced to 3 per cent. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1873.

LONDON, 22nd August, 1873. Loss of the S.S. "Singaport" The Ambs are detaining the savederew and passengers of the Singapore as bostages.

Advices have been received that the steamer ward of Cape Guardefoi. She will probably wards had him arrested. be got off with little damage Hongkong, 23rd August, 1873.

 London, 22nd August, 1873. THE TICHE RNE CLAIMANT. Dr. Kenealy has concluded his speech for the defence, and declared his inability to produce struggling, and the defendant holding the com-Arthur Orton. The Treasury is willing to defray the expenses of conscientious witnesses He saw the defendant and the other man run- rightly, are far from enjoying now.

THE STRANDING OF THE S.S. "KWANGCHOW." The Arabs are pillinging the Kuangchow, them, and had been robbed of a letter con

"THE LAW AS IT STANDS" IN RELA-TION TO MATSHEDS. "Every person who shall erect any shed or | complainant's friends, not howing them." house of matting, or other inflammable material, so as in case of fire to endanger any neighbouring building," shall be liable to a

"Every building erected, or to behereafter i

shall be deemed a nuisance." a mere ordinary matter of business without person guilty of any of the nuisances herein. and turned on him and asked him if the dog line; cleaned one large room containing five steaming towards New York when he struck, for the kind of work to which they fre set, ing. returning a reply of this description, it would before a stipendisry Ma- was his brother. He made asswer that it was, doors, three windows, a cupboard, and a sink; her speed at the time being nine knots. There That is the way they do things in China. The returning a reply of this description, it would gistrate, or any two Justices of the Pance, who His master susfound of it, it was a good dog, and was no excitement, as the beat were got first question with the Mandarin appointed to shall thereupon proceed in a summary way to be was going to take care of it. A disturbance table, to do all of which she was obliged to ready, and in three bours all the passengers see the order executed is, how much can I see champagne is a summary way to be was going to take care of it. new arrangement were made for the conduct inquire into and adjudicate upon the premises, ensued, and complainant then left. At 4.30 carry fifteen pails of water nine rods; prepared were an board at cure for myself? That being settled to his Extravagant and complainant then left. At 4.30 carry fifteen pails of water nine rods; prepared were an board at cure for myself? That being settled to his Extravagant and complainant then left. of this portion of the local administration of after the manner of other summary proceedings, p.m. he went to the coolin house to cook his the applea and made four large pies, besides the time 28 cabin and 481 steerage passengers, satisfaction, the order is given. In this case it startinople impact the which the before Justices of the Peace; and where he or medicine, when he again saw the complainant having a small child to care for, two meals to Fortunately the sea was calm, and the vessel is to be feared the amount of squeeze activing | Khedive is empected to give in celebration of the colony. A large amount of time has been | they shall adjudicate any one person to have there. The complainant then opened up the cook, and some other housework to attend to." | was only 485 yards from the main and. Had to the Chinese will probably have to be given up, the Sultan accession. The Turmline asserts wasted, medless irritation has been caused, been guilty of any of the Baid nuisances, he or subject of the dog again, and shallenged him to It is evident from this account of Mrs. Libby's the City of Washington struck on the Gull as one of the dredgers has taken such a hold of that the Khediye has ordered for this fête a they, or any other Justice of the Peace shall, fight. He told him be was sick, but he would probably have been dashed to the material it was to work on, that it has nuk table services in gold and precious stones, in upon the application of the Surveyor General, fight him, consequently he said "come on." often urged by viloman against woman's claim | pieces; but she run inside 200 pards, and bodily to the bottom of the Canal. H. L. is | which five thousand carats weight of diamonds gard to a matter which required an answer order him or and other proper officer to abute, A fight ensued, and then the complainant got to compete with him in what he terms "the stranded on the Guil Rock Bar. The site of naturally very wroth thereat. The two michines will be issued. in three lines saying whether the Surveyor- demolish, or remove the said nuisance, and to up this charge for revenge. self and dispose of the materials thereof (if any), and out of the monice arising by such sale not. If the Surveyor-General was under or disposition (if any) to retain or pay the the impression that he was not called upon to charges and expenses of, or incident to such

POLICE INTELLIGENCE August 23rd,

BEFORE THE ITON C. MAY.

ROGUES AND VAGABONDS. and vagabands, they being found attempting the future. to steal fowls at Queen's-read East, at 1.30 p.m. on the 22nd instant, near Ship-street.

Complaintat stated be saw the defendants just us be turned the comer, the defendant Hip a nam, No.145, with the unlawful possession, their possessions on the West Coast of Africa sceing him come up, dropped it and ran. He sell to a marine slope in Mercer-street, at 4.15 Both nations reckoned without their hosts, then blow his whistle, and Ohinese constable P.M. of the 20th instant. assisted him in arresting the defendants.

was walking along the road, when be was ar- hard labour. Second defendant also denied the charge, say-

on returning was apprehended. Victoria Gaol, sworn, stated he knew the first in the execution of their duty.

that sentence to find security in two house- He got up, blew his whistle, and held on to the port. The last mail steamer from Sierra as for the second, Mr. Gibb is the only except not from the forts, as reported in the N. C. Daily

business, but it appears he has interested the company of first defendant, was recom- station for more help. The defendants were retimated, a native population of some 10,000, for the prosecution closed yesterday, being the second thinks much good will come of it; that himself in it as a piece of courtesy or friend- mended to knye the Colony, and being convicted apprehended in the cook-houses, and the very was reduced to ashes, and though the English of being a regue and vagabond, was sent to drunken man gotaway through the defendants' flag still floats over the fort, we can call little | Monday week, to give Dr. Kenchly time to re- | gained without coercion in any sense or way, one month's bard labor.

> Lower Laser row, was charged by a Chinese shopman insame street, named Ip-a-lum, with assaulting him, and damaging his property. opium, and refused to pay the proper sum, and with another man came his opinm saloon and for the drunken man.

smirked the opium. the compliment accused him of some previous | first with calling others to assist. debt, and he knowing that he did not owe any, remonstrated, and the complainant and his men

Another shopman, named Obun-a-loy, cormister of the opinm salom, named Mok-a- married, woman, and a servant girl named Lee- sist have been taught at the smalest possible appeared in the box. They recognise the Claim- study. They are said to be highly derogatory lai, also gave evidence of a corroborative na. moy choi, with stealing a gold pin and a gold cost of life that the struggle against a resolute ant as Arthur Orton, who was in Mr. Foster's to the rank and standing of the ministers, and ture to the last two witnesses.

the part of the defendant, and said that he oned the complainant a few cents, and the complainant abused them both, and called on the other shopmen to" Tah." Defendant was fined 10 shillings, in default,

ten days' hard labor.

CHINESE RECERATION. European Constable No. 34 churged Loi-a. ming, a hawker in Tai-pin-stan, with gambling on the Recreation Ground at Possession Point. Defendant was asked whathe thought the Recreation Ground was for, and answering that he

it was not to be used for. sent to 14 days hard labour, and told next time each, to keep the peace, he would have three months.

day) the defendant took his clothes into her be in three days. was not bersister. She then left the room and then went out. This morning, Saturday, she Creagh, was remaided for a week. found \$2 and a ring was missing out of her room on her return, and she spoke about it,

the blow came on her eye. complainant, stating that she was his wife, and Chinaman well known to the defendant. on Friday night she went, out and slept with the French mails, left Saigon at 1 pm. on Sa., others on board of a ship, and on bar return be respectably dressed, pleaded poverty; her hasstruck the complainant with the slung shot, band was dead, he mother and other relations The defendant then altered this statement, and | were dead, and showns destitute. said he did not use the slung shot, he only slapped her face, because she stayed out all was remanded to gool. night; complainant brought the slung shot

The Queen has approved the recognition of ed to the house, and saw the defendant with flying the quarantine flag, came on again on of the relentless ferocity with which the Pauthe slung shot, and on his entering defendant | Saturday, dropped it. The complainant picked it up and !

No. 5 of 1873, to make further provision for gether as min and wife, and they were in the the sea, but were placed up by Dr. Adams. The his crimes by a shameful death, is a Hadji, the well-known matshed question. There the suppression of abuses in relation to Chi- babit of quarrelling. They quarrelled on Fri- first defendant had been up before on a similar named Ma Yusan, who was elected a few years has probably been as much discussion with nese emigration, and No. 6 of 1873, for the day night and Saturday morning, but she did charge. not see the slung shot, Complainant was then put in the dock, and | rance. on the evidence given was convicted of disor-

derly conduct, and both her and defendant were fined 10s., in default seven days' bard labor. ALLEGED LARGENY. Su-san pola house coolie unemployed, charged

Chun-a-foo, a chair coolie to Lieut. Hubback, of the Royal Artillery, for on the 18th instant assaulting him in Ice House-street, and robbing him of \$13 60.

Complainant stated that he was formerly lines, would you kindly insert them. in the service of Judge Ball, but was now out of employment, living with his friends. who were in service at Messrs. Lane, Crawstation on the Caine-road, and was asked of Mat (?) Sheds.

told bim he was out of employment, and had his friend, Chec-a-fook, met him in Ice House- py compromise. street, and the defendant sized him by the and then ran away. He did not know which of time coming from Judge Ball's house along. Cainc-road, and was going to a friend at Mesera. A. Heard & Co., to take the letter containing the money. His friend wasgoing to convey the letter for him. His friend at Mesers. Heard's saw what had happened to hiseyes. On Friday, at noon, he are the defendant at the tank near St. Paul's College, and asked him for the money back, and he refused to give it, and he after-

Foong-cup-shan, declared, stated he was

chair cooliest Messrs. Augustine Reard & Co.'s. On Monday at 4 p.m. he was out walking along the Queen's road, going to town to make a purchase, and looking up Ice House street saw complainant and another man not in custody. plainant; the man nut in custody had a dagger. ning up Ico House-street. He then asked the complainant what was the matter, and be said be had pepper thrown in his face by taining \$1360. Witness said he never knew the complainant before that. He did not belong to the same place as the complainant. 'He did not know how he could convey a letter to

foot of Ice House street, at the tree, and another at the mak near St. Paul's College.

Ohee a fook, a chair-coolie to Colonel Phil. succeed, "there will be nothing left for him to lost. Should the weather continue me, a good I have not ascertained which. And theseudeth reporter of the "gushing" type. The followlips, deposed to what transpired at Lieutenant do." Somebody must take Mrs. Libby's place deal of the cargo may be saved ins damaged the first chapter of dredgers in the north of ing is his description of the great fire at the Hubbuck's house, and two coolies, named at the wash-tub, oren, and cradle, and it is uso- state, and as the vessel is quite unight, she Ohina-a place where dozens of really good Alexandra Palace; "Alexandra Palace; a brick Wong-a-samend Chun-a-kwi, from the coolie less to disguise the fact that when that lady is may be got off. It is amazing to methat under machines could be employed, how usefully and building, 900 feet by 450 feet, burned out and

was impossible for the witness to have identified the complaining or the defendant.

Mr. May told the complainant his evidence wasfull of inconsistencies, and not to be believed. He would not try him for making a false Chinese constable No. 204 charged Mah-a-ho, charge, as it was impossible to get at the bottom and rather humiliating withall both to ourin unlicemed hawker, and Wong-ping-leung, of the case, but it was evident that no robbery a letter corrier unemployed with being regues had taken place. He would caution him for ning's time, we presumed to he right of Bidwell, the bos, "expresses sincere regret at passed south through Tientsin, and have been

Defendant was discharged. UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. attempting to pick the fowls up from the street; Lascar-row, was charged by Chinese Sergenit | manger. It seems 'that they give up to us or desire of restitution, had just succeeded in picking up one, when of some lead pipe, which he was attempting to in consideration of our withdrawlig this veto,

I irst defendant denied thecharge, and said be possession, and fined \$2, in default, ten days' Sumatra, and has taken the matter up. Nor and a half.

defendant in Fong-n-lee; he was sentenced to Complainant sleted at 2.30 on Friday some being at once more bealthy and more suitable "cracked up." two months' hard labor, on the 17th May, for sailors, including the defendants, arrived at as a centre of trade than Cape Castle. brought up as a rogue and vagabond, under drunk, and refund to pay chair hire. He transfer the sent of Governmenton the Gold the name of Mok-a-cheong, and was recom- told them they had better pay, whereon the Coast from Cape Coast Castle to Elmina, we

into the Home, when a mounted policeman to the castle of Elmina afteractting fire The second, in consequence of being found in came, and seeing the state of affairs went to the to the town. The place, which contained, it is

interference. Chair-coolie No. 802 gave corroborative A Malay seamon named Osman, residing in evidence, and said 10 cents was due to him by second defendant.

Complanant said defendant produced some he supposed to must bear the consequences. when asked picked up a stool and made a blow said it was the police the unnecessarily inter- self, a territory which reaches to the Equator, as Arthur Orton. The witness also knew his Foreign Ministers behind their backs at him, damaging the stool. The defendant fered with him; he wanted to pay the 10 cents and convinced the native chiefs of the upper co-executor, who is dead, and who was likewise so far as to say, that, they

defendant 40 shillings. roborated the evidence of complainant, and the Wellington-street, charged Tan-u-kan, also a said those who manifested a disposition to re- his widow married his foreman, and both have who have made the language of China a special

and the second defendant picked them up.

them down, and complainant stole them. A married woman named Log-a-ace, residing in the same house denosed to the fight, but said there was no jewellery lost. Complainant was then put in the dock, and did not know, was informed of its use, and what both complainant and first defendant were Defendant being convicted of gambling was | curity in one householder, \$25, for aix months'

A woman named Chun-kwi-kum was charged when the defendant got energy and beat her with attempting to commit suicide near the Hagedorn & Co.'s premises, but was rescuid

tourth and fifth defendants being thoroughly Chinese oppression, vengeance his, after 15 Chan-a-kum, a married woman, residing in on board, and theother three climbing up the years' of constant warfare, byctaken the The Gazette of Saturday announces the as- the same house as the complainant, deposed side. The two who got on board, as soon as he Pauthays, and their power is now utterly sent of the Home Government to Ordinance | that the defendant and complainant lived to- went to apprehend them, jamped overboard into | broken. The Sultan Suleiman, who expiated

> Fourth and fifth defendants pleaded igno-First defendant was fined \$20, second and third defendants \$5 each, and fourth and fifth defendants \$10 each.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS," SIR,—If you can find space for the following The correspondence between the various representatives of the Insurance Companies, the Local Government and the Surveyor General's ford & Co.'s. He had very little knowledge Department, has given rise to a variety of of defendant. He met him near No. 9 opinions as to which side is right in the matter

I beg to think that both sides are in a certain

degree wrong, and that by modifying one item none to spare. At 4 p.m. the defendant and of the grievance, both sides can arrive at a hap-The Insurance offices object, and justly, to arms, and threw pepper in his eyes, and one of the grass covering at present used over scuffoldthem took from him a letter containing \$13.60. | ings, and not I believe to the scaffolding itself, without which it would be rather difficult to the two mentook the money. He was at the erect any building, so if some other covering were used no doubt the objection would in a great Manner fall to the ground. Now no better substitute could be found—answering at the same time all the purposes requiredthan the thick weren mat, capable of being rolled up out of the way, such as cover the sheds at Peddar's wharl, the Harbour Master's wharl, and not as sun blinds to most of the office windows in the colony. The great objection of easy inflammability would thus be avoided, and in the event of a fire in the neighbourhood, threatening the mata they could be rolled up or taken off entirely in a few minutes, leaving nothing but the bare poles of the scaffolding. Here is a plan which will meet the case exact-

> surance offices a feeling of security, that they Yours truly. COMPROMISE Hongkong, 23rd August, 1873.

ly, and allow 'the builder and contractor still

the great use and lenefit of a shed, and the In-

WOMEN'S RIGHTS.

(Pall Mall Gasetta.)

If woman, when she has gained her rights and superseded man in the field of political knew there was a policeman stationed at the labour, displays half the activity which now renders her such avaluable agent for the per- their lives. formance of domestic duties, we shall see a Defendant said on Monday last he was sick great change in the pace of legislative reforms. with fever, and could not carry bis moster. He Some idea of what woman is capable of underknew the complainant; he was a native of his taking may be gathered from the following village. On Monday afternoon the complain- record of a day's labour performed the other inspecting the places pointed out separately by will fall to the lot of Mr. Libby.

(From our London Correspondent.) Canclutt.d.) London, 11th July, 1873.

SUMATRA AND REMINA

A most singular coincidence his occurred.

The Dutch have been repulsed it Sumatra, As defendant could not account for howbe | and have had to consent to a truce. Moreover, got the lead pipe, he was convicted of unlawful the Sublime Porte claims the projectorate of have we been much more fortunte. It was argued that not only would the aquisition of Two ship carpenters, residing at the Sailors' Elmina and the other Dutoly forteen the Gold ing he had been up the hill for medicines, and Home, named Wm. Williams and Robert Mair, Coast complete the machinery of our untimore of Elmina our own.

SIR S. BAKER. First defendant admitted the charge, but self, of the safety and health of Sir S. Baker executors. Captain Angell appeared in the and since the Audience took place, it is said said he was led into the affair by others, and and his party, will be received in England with box, said that he knew the Ortons infinitely, that the Emperor has expressed his satisfaction almost national toy. He has conquered for the but never heard of Tichborne in his life until with the whole ceremony, and is glad that it Second defendant deined the charge, and Khedive, with a few troops disciplined by him- this trial came on, and recognised the Chainant has taken place. The Emperor compliments the Defendants were convicted of assaulting the lisation now rolling towards then is irresisti- over? Roger could not appoint elecutors expression of satisfaction come from Im. Defendant denied owing my money, and said police in the execution of their duty, and the ble. He has paralysed the operations of the whom he never saw nor heard of ! Mind the perial lips? It would be well, however, traders in one of the principal centres of the Chaimant admits having made the will. First defendant was fined £5, and the second | slave traffic, and has announced that the system | Then his story is that after landing from the | Pencil; but, so far, the Peking Gazette has been hold it in check. A line of communication is Gippesland, as Thor. Castro, and remained with the characters in the Foreign Address to the Leong-a-kan, a married woman, residing in now open to Zanzibar from the heal of the Nile, bim about two years. Mr. Foster is dead, but Emperor are severely condemned by gentlemen hair press, valued \$20, at noon on the 22ad Englishman, supported by even asmall force, employ-they produce books and pipers to only used in speaking of the envoys of tributary Kosing. & Malay seaman, gave evidence on instant. The defendants were apprehended on a cannot be maintained. The worldone by Sir show that such a person was in Mr. Foster's states. But this has been already fully dis-S. Baker is of no transient kind. His thorough service, but no such man as Castro. How can | cussed by you Complainant sisted water came through the knowledge of the country and its inhabitants | that be parried? I really do not think Dr. first defendant's floor to ber floor, and this caused | will have enabled him to act in such a manner | Kenealy will proceed. The attempt is ridicu- | Hart gives place to Commissioner Haber, the a fight, and her gold ornaments dropped out, that the step gained shall be perminent, and it lous. is no empty declaration that he has laid the First defendant said that she pulled off her basis of sound civilisation along the banks of rings and took out her pine to fight, and put Africa's most important road to commerce. THE FALL OF TALIFOO

The summary of the latest news from India contains the details regarding the hil of Tali foo, and the complete discomfibire of the Panthays, which have at length reached the Foreign Office at Simla. It seems that in April fined 20 shillings, and ordered cach to find se- last a party of Chinamen arrived at Bhamo from Yunan with letters to the Kingof, Burmah, announcing the fall of Tales (Talibo) and the final overthrow of the Funthays. The Sultan Chun-a-oba, a smull boy residing in Wing-on- Suleiman is said to have taken poson, but he Ng-a-low charged a Mally seaman named lane, was charged with stealing an umbrella from was, captured and beheaded before the poison Ahmed, with assaulting her, by cutting her Wong-a-pan, a shopman in Bonham Strand, took effect. With him some 30,000 Panthaye on the right eye with a piece of rope, on Saturday morning, whilst the owner of the are believed to have perished. Those who elsewhere, makes a very sensible suggestion, Complainant said ber husband, a Malay umbrella was on his way to the Canton steamer. abjured their religion, and ate pork were spared. to the effect that sheds might be made of seaman, was at son, and she was left in the de. Inspector Gray shed for a remand till the Momein is reported also to have been taken. some less inflammable material. This would fendant's house under his care. Last night (Fri. owner of the umbrella came back, which would In any way of looking at the affairlt is a deed of cold-blooded butchery to put a many conquered enemies to the sword, and me must denounce the Pekin Government for countenan-This case cameon again on Saturday, and eing so savage a massacre. But it must not be took his clothes away into his own room, and on the application of Deputy Superintendent forgotten that a heavy score of similar outrages was marked down igainst the Mahomedans, and it was only natural in such a struggle that the retaliation shouldbe terrible Dr. Anderson in his "Report of the Expedition with a slung shot; she put up her hand, and old Canton wharf, in front of Messrs. Vogel, to Yunan," speaking of the great Panthay rebeltion, says .- "As the insurredion spread Defendant denied the chim made by the by the Parsee watchman at that firm, and a the Chinese towns and villages were pillaged, and indisorialinate slaugher overtook Defendant, who was only 26 years of age, and the male population, the women being spared to minister to the passions of a butal, undisciplined mob, while the unresisting children were eagerly preserved to be educated as Mus-Defendant's talenot being very plausible, the sulmans. The desolate and rained villages between Nantin and Momein, and the almost unbroken line of deserted towns and hamlets The five Chinese charged with going on encircling the once smiling and busy valley of Sikh constable No. 857 deposed to being call- board the mail stemmer Malwa, whilst she was the latter town, are incontrovertible evidence been reduced, and renewed for a further period of procedure would have been to organise a

thays prosecuted the rebellion." For these Mark O'Brien, P.C. No. 27, deposed to the crimes, which were undoubtedly provoked by ago to the position of King. He held his Court at Talifoo, and had four civil and four military officers associated with his in the Goverament. To the Mahomedans with which Panthay is synonymous) he was known as Suleiman, and to the Chinese as Trintsen,

CHINESE LABOUR.

"We are rained by Chinese chap labour,"

excluimed Bret Harte's Yankee ard-sharper when he found that Ah Sin excelled him in roguery, and had several extra pass of cards up his sleeve. The hatred of the ordinary American labourer for a competior who car always underbid him does not reston a very different basis. In California the authorities devise plan after plan to prevent the continual inrush of Celestials. Years ago bey laid a heavy import duty on this one dues of immigrants, but that could not keep them out The "free citizens" themselves do ill they can to make San Francisco too hot for the new arrivals: they have tried bludgeons brick-bats. fierce dogs, mob bullyings, but in min. Even occasional homicides have not beenufficient to deter the always-coming guests, Recently three distinct new measures have been adopted. Chinamen bate fresh air, and pack themselves into foul and overcrowded done. This has suggested to the Municipality of Sm Francisco the happy thought of a municipal regulaas the interests of their men. The Chinese are another place, the position of which I have not dustrious. But there can be no doubt that the ployées who are to try to repair it. Should the final interests of the States may lad it to en- rains continue much longer, the crops as well as Japanese hospital is, we understand, a very dorse the action which the California labourers | the banks of the rivers and Canal will stand a unpopular institution amongst the natives, but take through ignorance and spite. The Chinese bad chance. It is very unfortunate that the two wby it should be so does not transpire. - Mr. J. not desirable elements of any most or free the Viceroy, and lately put up here, has prov. returned to Yokohama, and is replaced by Mr. political community; and the very despuess of ed quite unfit for the work for which they were J. J. Quin. their labour springs from the degadation of wanted. The Chinese, as usual, go the opposite

THE "CITY OF WASHINGTON."

such a foul mistake impossible. Beides, where proclaim to all men.

the complainant and his witness, and said it HOME AND CHINA AFFAIRS. I was the deep sea lead? Surely it hadly re- About the Audience, an old story now -

PEER v. OVEREND, GURNEY AND CO.

THE CLAIMANT. The news, now no longer doubtful, but con- Claimant made a will before leaving Asstralia, international eliquette. Wen-sizing publicly firmed by a telegram from the taveller him- appointing Captain Angell and another as his said he thought it would be productive of good; Nile country that resistance to thewave of civi- intimate with the Ortons. How can the be got themselves like Chinese! Could a greater of government he has organized vill in future Caprey, he entered the service of Mr. Foster, at significantly silent on the subject. Some of

SHANGHAL.

The Recreation Fund has been throubject

written to the N. C. Dattly News subgesting that <math>|

it would be desirable to have a report of the Recreation Fund published regularly. The above paper agrees with this suggestion, and says, with regard to it :- " The Trustes seem to go on the principle of reaching some definite point, in order to announce a complete result; but people would rather be told at thread of the year, what has been done during that year, as in the case of any other institutions. Having said so much. however, we must addithat we believe the Trustees of the Fund by no means negligent of their trust in the meantime. We do not always agree with their management, and think they occuronally leave undone things which ought to be done: we have said so more than once; but the report they issued in April 1872, shows not only ition of Fingshui. A number of people having attention to the interests of the Fund, but a died in a certain part of the town, enquiries beconsiderable amount of real work done, which | gan to be made as to the cause of a mortality it is not always easy to find men willing to un. somewhat specially localised. But instead of dertake. We grow at the Recreation Fund looking, as Westerns almost instinctively would Trustees, as we growl sometimes at the Mu. to the physical conditions and environments of nicipal Council, but we do not forgetthat we | the district, the good folks of Hangehow called are very much indebted to gentlemen who take in the learning of the geomancers to explain the trouble to look after public interests, even the cause of the "evil influence." These worthough we differ sometimes from their pro- thies were not long in pointing to a range of ceedings. During the fifteen months that have buildings belonging to one of the American elapsed since the last Recreation Fund accounts Missions, that stood one bill overlooking the diswere published, a good deal has been done to truck where the abnormal mortality had prevailimprove its position. The original shardolders, | cd. These buildings, though not high in themwith a very few exceptions, have been mid off. | selves, were yet elevated by their site above Considerable assistance has been given to the all the surrounding buildings, and thus they Theatre, and a loan promised to the Committee; interrupted the benign influences of the Fingwithout which the Theatre could not have been | shui. The question then came to be, how the built. The mortgage on the Club building has | evil was to be remedied. The traditional mode on more favorable terms (8) per cent. interest.) | mob. raise a disturbance, and during its con-The claim of the Race course shareholders has, | tinuance contrive to pull down or burn the obafter much trouble, been adjusted, and aliability | noxious premises. But, on the one hand, past aggregating some Tis. 5,500 done away with, experience of foreigners has convinced the au-The Base Ball ground has been put in order, | thorities that this way of dealing with foreign and is now once more a source of income to | property is sure to entail serious consequences the Fund. Considerable repairs have been made | while on the other, the satisfactory results of to the Olub building, and a commencement has diplomatic action, as illustrated at Peking, has been made towards draining and improving the gradually inclined them to the suaviter-in-modo interior of the Race course. There is now pen. | policy. Accordingly a number of the gentry ding a question with reference to the tenure were commissioned to proceed to Ningpo and of the land in the interior of the Racecourse, place- themselves in communication with which the Trustees, in pursuance of their ter. | the United States Consul on the subject. Ar-

inue to give their open air performance in the kong cannot commence blowing its own trumare much more open to objection.

ever, the case seems able to furnish material

TIENTSIN.

(Shanahai Courier.) We are baving very heavy rains here and long continuance of them. The full moon of tion compelling every lodging-house keeper | the 8th instant, with a fine day, gave ushope of to scoure 500 cubic feet of all for each a change for the better, but these hopes have inmate—any violation of the ule to in- been of short duration, for to-day we have rain volve the imprisonment, not only of the over- again. The ground is now saturated with it crowding bost, but of the overcrowled guests. is, indeed, in some places overflowing. It is, Under this decree many Chinamet bave been | therefore, hardly matter of surprise that we imprisoned, and, when caught, ther tails—in lagera bear of canals and rivers, as in the case which they delight—are ruthlessly cut off by of the Peiho, where there is a breach of 120 guol scissors. Next, the exportation of corpses | yards wide, the water flowing over the Eastern has been forbidden. A Chinagan always plain with a rush which can be heard long ere ardently desires to be buried in his sative land, | you reach the spot. Above this, towards Changand great expense is incurred by relatives in chia-nan there is another breach; through sending home the bodies of friends the happen | which the water flows to the westward. Below, to die abroad. It is hoped that thest ordinances this, about Kakis, the river overflows its will tend to check the importation of Chinese | banks. On the Grand Canal there is a breach Isbour. Of course the interests of employers | in the embankment, the water overflowing in the States are not in this matter the same south and west. The Canal also overlows at excellent workmen, docide, intelligat, and in ascertained. The authorities have not emthough good workmen, are not good citizens - small dredging machines which were ordered for H. Longford, British Consular interpreter, has way to work that any sensible foreigner would do. Here is a mandarin ordering two dredging ma-The City of Washington, another crack chines from a German merchant in Shinghai, - From Hiogo there is almost no news. A fire Atlantic stramer, has been lost. The telegrams without the slightest knowledge of the nature of occurred in Osaka, by which thirty native state that after they left Liverpool they never the material they have to work upon. The houses were, burned .- The Government thinks saw either sun or stars; dense logs made merchant sends the order to a French fim, who of raising the pay of officials in the central proerected, of any inflammable material, in such | and a dog belonging to day by Mrs. Libby of Pourpkin Valley, Maine, observations impossible during the entire execute them according to the instructions sent | vinces, many being expected at present to dress wise as to endanger any neighbouring building, his master came out to him, and the which appears in he New York Herald. Mrs. passage. When the steamer struk, the fog them. The machines are built and sent out; in Buropean style, and keep up appearances complainant kicked it. He told him that he Libby "in hime hours despatched a washing was so thick that nothing was whible three but on trial on their destined ground, m work generally on \$10 to \$20 a month—an impos-"The Surveyor General shall summon every was not to beat the dog, when the complain- and ironing which took up eighty-five feet of yards abead. All supposed the ressel was will they do, not having built the power requisite shall supposed the ressel was will they do, not having built the power requisite shall supposed the ressel was will they do, not having built the power requisite shall supposed the ressel was will they do, not having built the power requisite shall suppose the ressel was a supposed the ressel was a supposed to be ressel was a supposed to more active duties of life"-namely, that if she | the wreck is close to where the Alantio was are said to have cost 19,000 dollars or taple,- | Captain Shaw would not make a successful

anires a sailor to tell the difference between the | your correspondents have been somewhat in erthe sea in mid-ocean, and the sea over sound- | ror on some points; with reference to the Japanese, for instance. In some things they have got far more credit than they were enti-The City forgers have been committed—the tled to thanks perhaps to our cousin in the emgrand jury have found a true bill against them, ploy. Since the Andience took place, four out selves and Holland. By a treaty and in Can- and they have pleaded "not guilty." Austin of the five Ministers who took part in it have vetoing Dutch aggression in Sunatra. This being onught, and begs hard for a little of the duly interviewed. From one or other of them veto proved very annoying to the Dutch, for plunder to pay Counsel. A hundred pounds we learn that the whole question as to the corethey could not appropriate what they longed has been allowed him. He has still £10,000 of mony to be observed at the Audience was settled Tan-a-hop, a gas fitter, residing in Lower for, because we noted the part of the dog in the the booty, but he shows no signs of contrition four or five weeks before the Japanese Ambassador reached Peking. He, therefore, did not in any. way influence the Tsung-li-yamen with regard In 1838 there were registered in Grest Bri. to that subject. On the other hand, the Toungthin 4,800,000 tons of sailing vessels and less li-yernen did not wisisto grant to the Japanese than a million of steamers. In 1872, the sail. the same honours as they had agreed to consede ing vessels had decreased to 4,150,000 tons, and to the Western Ministers; while for the same the steamers increased to a little over amillion ; honour, the Japanese Ambassador gullantly kfought till he obtained it. His whole he wing THE "TIMES" ON ME, MALET'S REPORT. | and notion gained the respect of all the Western The Times issues another annuary of Mr. Ministers, who advised that he should be first Malet's report, as if no previous notice had received, as being of higher rank than thembeen taken of it. The leading journal has to selves. Whether the Japanese Ambassador were charged with being drunk and refusing slavery policy in the West African waters, but be polite to these official people, because they hastened matters or not deponents said not: Mr. J. W. Watts, acting warden of the to pay chair hire, and with assaulting the police that Elmina itself might be conveted into the can, and do, furnish it occasionally with exclusionally he did; as if matters were settled four capital of our possessions in Upper Guinea, as sive information, in consideration of being or five weeks before he came, why the long delay. in granting the Audience. The crows of the J ... pances war-steamers talked warlike when they The case of Peck v. Overend, Gurney & Co., were at Newchwang, about the trouble in Foron appeal before the House of Lords, has closed, mosa; whether they were really prepared in and judgment reserved. Mr. Peck was a share- case of the Chinese proving uncourteous to first defendant un into the Home after the have actually been compelled to give over to holder—he sets force that the prospectus was apeal to the ultima_ratio is not known to the First defendant was sentenced to three second defendant pushed him down, and destruction Elmina itself, which we received false and that the Directors knew it. The writer. The salute given to the Japanese Ammonths' bard labor, and at the expiration of brought out a number of seamen to beat him. from the Dutch a tolerably prosperous trading first proposition there is no doubt about, and bassador at Taku was from the gautocal alone,

> The Western Ministers do not seem unite at ne as to the value of the Audience. One, I As for the trial of the Claimant, the case hear, thinks it little better than a farce. A 56th sitting. The Court then adjourned to in itself it is a great step in advance, being ply. It is simply impossible to rebut the evi- but merely by having brought the Chinese dence for the prosecution. For instance, the Ministers and Emperor up to that point of that it should also come from the Vermilion Of local news there is little. Commissioner

former going it is said to Swatow. Owing to a press of business in the Customs office, the monthly Returns of Trade in this port have not been published for some months back. On the other hand the Chinese and Foreign merf some discussion, "a shareholder having chante complain that there is little or nothing doing in the way of business. I simply mention the fact as explaining why I have not sent Returns to you as formerly. Mr. Pauncefort's Reading cannot come off on account of the rain, the Club in which the Reading was to take place being on the Taku R ad, and that being at present impassable except to those who cannot forego the game of biliards. Literature holds but a second place in Tientsin.

HANGCHOW!

The general excitement caused in this district, in common, apparently, with the rest of the province, was some weeks ago intensified by a development of the well known supersti-

minal policy, are probably waiting to settle rived in Ningpo they called in the advice and before issuing a new Report. The Topac of | nid of a wealthy native, who happens to be inthe district claims that 30 more imbedded some. I timately acquainted with Dr. Lord, and by his where in the area of the Ruce-course, are not advice drew up a petition to the latter gentleincluded in the title-deed, and that, therefore, man, setting forth the fears and anxieties he does not get his full tax. No doubt seems | which were excited among the common people to be raised as to the proprietorship, but only of Hangehow, by the disturbance of the Finaas to inclusion in the deed. As it stants, how. | shui, occasioned by the mission premises in question, setting forth the willingness of the for prolonged correspondence, and we lope the authorities to grant them a site and erect Trustees will take the public at onto into buildings on some other site to be agreed on their confidence on the general affairs of the between them and the missionaries, or to pay. the missionaries a money equivalent for the The Amateur Wind Instrument Society con. | surrender of their property. The missionaries, on being communicated with by Dr. Lord, signi-Public Garden, and the music is spoke of in fied their preference of the proposal to grant high terms. It seems a great pity that Hong. them an equally eligible site and erect suitable buildings elsewhere, in exchange for their existpet in the same way. It does so in many which | ing property, and this arrangement is now in course of being carried out. The most important aspect of the case, so far as foreigners are concerned, is that, whereas hitherto the presence of foreigners in Hangehow has been muher winked at than sanctioned by the officiale, the arrangement come to above effectually secures their official recognition and sanction. The practical importance of this will be better appreciated when it is considered that the property already held by foreign Missionaries in Hangehow is valued at some \$60,000.

NAGASAKI.

(N. C. Daily News.) The Express says the barbour has been nearly cleared of war vessels by the following departures :- The United States corvette Ashaelot and gunboat Palos for Hiogo and Yokobama: the French frigate La Belliqueuse, gunboat Bouranne, and corvette Cosmao-the two former for Chefoo and the latter for Shanghai, and also the British gunboat Thutle for Yokobama leaving the United States frigute Hartford, and corrette Lackawanna, and Russian gunboat | Gornostai still in part.

The high temperature has been productive of much sickness amongst the natives. The

PROPERLY TOTALED - Punch calls love of

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	A STEP IN ADVANCE.	
	(N. C. Daily News.) Every now and then, something proves to us	ľ
	that there is movement in China. We may	h C
٠.	watch a lake for a long time and turn away with	١,
	. the impression that it is stagment, but discover	
	a few hours later that a stick floating on it has	l t
•	every now and then, by a comparison of land-	Л.
	marks after a certain number of years, that	
	movement really dose bappen in China. It is	12
	not quite Tennyson's idea of a world spinning	Į B
	down the ringing groave of change, but it	2 t
	is movement. The latest proof is the opening of a telegraph station at Woo-	
-	sung. Just eight venue aug. Mr. E. A.	Ι.
	Reynolds tried to establish a line of telegraph	1
	to the Kintoan beacon, but was checked and	¥
	utterly routed by Feng-shui. His strategy	f
	may have been a little rash, but it is doubtful whether a Fabius would bave	
	done better. We do often stand in	r
	done better. We do often stand in our own light by wanting Taotais	a
	to-put-revery new reconception in-ablack and	
	white; and Mr. Reynolds, acting on this	
	conviction, determined to lay his telegraph without consulting anybody. He got every-	•
٠	Thing in readinger, went to work, and succeeded	A
	in laying the whole line of 227 pasts; from Poo-	t
	tung Point to Kintoan, without hindrance. It	t
	was carrying the principle rather to an extreme;	d
	and the sense of having been so thoroughly	-
	overlooked probably did not incline the officials to view favourably a request for sid, when dif-	b
	ficulty arose. Still the Great Northern Tele-	S
	graph Company did much the same, in laying	f
	their short line of posts below Hongkew. with-	Į W
	out question. In the former case, bowever, a storm immediately succeeded the calm. A	t a
	man died; the Feng-shui was found to be	Ğ
	interfered with in every direction; the posts	וו
	were pulled down; and when Mr. Reynolds	k
	claimed compensation, the Tautai said he had	ŀ
۵	tenance is beginned into one country beable?	នំ
	stating that these were projudicial to the Feng-shull, that already one person had fallen sick.	0
	and died without any apparent cause, "and	E
	imploring him to communicate with the	g
_	Foreign Consuls and find out the person who	p d
_	bad put up the posts, that he might be called	a B
	on to give compensation for the life lost.". H.E. went on to remark that there was no	ĥ
	doubt the man who died must have died be-	a
	cause the Fengshui was injured, but as there	
	was no intention on Mr. Reynolds' part to	
	kill, the claim for compensation need not	p
•	be entertained. His failure to apply for permission was a slur on the authority	
_	of the Consul, but with this, the Taotai had	
•	nothing to do; as regarded the people pulling	G
	nothing to do; as regarded the people pulling down the posts without first presenting a peti-	Ti
	tion and stating that they interfered with	1
	Fengeshui, this should of course be punished.	BI
	It was not punished, however, nor was any compensation given. At the instance we be-	ទ
	lieve of Mr. Dick, the Chamber of Commerce	Ã
	subsequently tried, in 1869, to persuade another	E)
	Taolar to allow an official line of telegraph to	Ę
	be laid to the Beacon, but with equal ill-success. It was vain to arge the value of rapid means	5
	of communication in case of shipwreck; all	ť

to a given point below Hongkew, without usk. June; passed the meridian of the Cape on the ing any one; landed their cable, and connected 11th June, in lat. 39.58 S.; after the 13th June Hougkong: with Shanghai; and now, after had the winds from the S.S.W., round to N. two years and a balf of more or less fre-through W., which continued to the S.E. quent interruption has shown the Officials that trades, in lat. 26.45 S., long. 101.48 EC, sight-the trouble of punishing people who cut out ed Obristmas Island on 16th July, and on the slices of cable for sale is the chief trouble 18th, made Java Head. At the entrance of the in the case, the Company open a station at Straits of Sauda had six days light variable Woosung; and ships grounding on the bar can winds; had moderate winds through Banca save some hours by expending \$1 on a request Straits, and light variable winds and equally for help from Shanghai. Along the line of the weather up the China Sea to arrival. Woosung Tramway Company, too, a line of posts is being erected, and we do not yet hear | Mott's Farm, Cherryhinton, Cambridgeshire, of an epidemio caused by either innovation, containing 33a. 2r. 34m, was recently sold for There has been a drought, it is true; but £8,020,

the platitudes uttered on the occasion of

the project fell through.

that seems attributable to the propensity of | Daniel O'Connell, the Irish orator, was apforeigners for eating beef; perhaps even the tall plied to by a friend for his autograph; to which chimneys of the Arsenal, or that more lately he replied: "Sir, I never send autographs.erected over the Powder Factory at Loong- [Yours, Daniel O'Connell." hwa, may have been influential; but at least HALF AND HALF.-There is a purple half to we do not hear the Woosang telegraph posts the grape, a mellow half to the peach, a subny accused. In fact, rain fell on the very day half to the globe, and a better half to the man on which the new Station was opened, so its that is so fortunate as to have a good wife. influence would seem to have been beneficial! Like the partridges in England, the Feng-shui must have learned to avoid the posts, and have ceased hostility.

to the Kintoan beacon, which would be as valua- \$565, firm, cash and credit; Old Patna; \$5574 ble in cases of wreck or stranding in the to \$560, little doing; Old Beneres, \$5321 to Yangteze, as the Woosung office will be in case \$535, little doing; Malwa, \$600, on credit, of difficulty at the bar. "The proposed tele-Strong native demand; sake amount to about graph," to quote the Treaty Consuls letter to 200 cheets, with a catty to 11 catties allowance To, Taotsi in 1869, " would strike the river at on first quality; other kinds 2 to 3 catties. a point distant more than forty miles from Certain parcels, owing to bad quality, neglected, Shangbai, and where the navigation is even at 4 cattles reduction. peculiarly difficult. * * * There already exists a lofty lighthouse from which a wide view of the river can be had. By using On LONDON .the telegraph, Shanghai would be brought into instantaneous communication with the beacon, and beyond doubt much property and many lives would be saved in consequence, for in this way succour would be instantly despatched; while, as matters now are, hours are likely to elapse before news of a disaster reaches us." On New York. It would seem a simple matter to run a line of posts from Woosung down the river bank to On Bombay. Bank, 3 days' sight 228 Kintoan, but we must not forget that the Feng- On Calcutta, -Bank, 3 days' sight 228 shuidn that side of the Hwangpoo are still On Shanghal .-uneducated; and nothing proves that, because the influences on this side are propitiated, they will be less hostile on the other than they were in 1865 and 1869. Besides, Kintoan, to quote Tu Taotai's despatch, is in the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares,-53 Chuensha district, and "Chuensha belongs to the interior sea coast, and is not a place for Union Insurance Society of Canton, new shares foreign commerce, and the posts could not be peaceably erected there." Just as much objection in short would probably be made to any application on the object now, as though no China and Japan Marine Insurance-Tla. 15 telegraph had yet shadowed the Chinese soil, Still it might be worth while to try again the effect of putting up a line of posts without say-

 ${f MISCELLANEOUS}.$ It is announced that the Shah, on his return home, will visit Turkey. Mr. John Steell, R.S.A., has been commisthe Central Park, New York,

bodily from America to Paris, where the girls are to finish their education. The Queen has offered, through his Royal steam frigate Blunde, now building at Ports. at once consented, and desired the Prince to convey to the Queen his gratification at the Hongkong Pier and Godown Company,-95 very gracious compliment thus paid him.

is no longer a complete novelty.

Huddersfield has at last completed its memorial of Sir Robert Peel, which it commenced 20 years ago, and had to postpone in consequence of local dissensions. An admirable statue has been produced by Mr. Theed, and wing-shun to travelling trader. unveiled in presence of 20,000 people. Lord Houghton delivered an éloge adapted to the travelling trader.

It is worthy of note that Mr. B. H. Hoskins, mee to travelling teader. of Lowell, Massachusets, U.S., has shown, by experiment, that collodion may be usefully out. man-wo to travelling trader. ployed for the preservation of charred paper. Many papers charred in the great fire of man-wo to local trader. Chicago-bank-notes, &c .. - were treated with collection; which forms a thin transportent film, and dries in a few minutes. The printing or writing can be read through this film.

THE INFLUENCE OF TEMPER ON HEALTH. -Excessive labor, exposure to set and cold, to travelling trader. deprivation of sufficient quantities of necessary and wholesome food, habitual had ledging, sloth Fook-loong to travelling trader. and intemperence, are all decity enemies to human life; but they are none of them so bad so violent and ungovernous pressions. Men and Black Peas, 1,000 piculs, women have survived all these, and at last loong to travelling trader.

If doubted whether a single instance can be local trader.

Ned Dorter 10 have at 35 found of a man of violent and iruscible temper. habitually subject to storms or ungovernable to travelling trader. passion, who the arrived at a very advanced period of life. It is, therefore a matter of the chong to travelling trader. bighest importance to every one desirous of preserving "a sound mind in a sound body," so that BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE the brittle vessel of life may glide down the streams of time smoothly and scourely, instead I THE Undersigned having been appointed of being continually tossed about smidst rocks 1 Agents in Hongkong for the above-named and shoals which endanger its existence, to Company, are prepared to grant Policies gainst have a special care Buildst all the vicissitudes See Risks atourrent rates. and trials of life to maintain a quiet possession of his own spirit. - Hall's Journal of Health.

SHIPPING REPORTS (Continued from the 1st page.) The Danish ship Atlantic reports left Newcastle, N.S.W., on 8th June, experienced fine weather and S.R. winds to the Equator, crossed on the 11th July in long. 100 E.; from thence experienced calms and light airs, mostly from the Eastward, to arrival.

The British steamship Norna reports left Swntow on 23rd August, had fresh N.E. breeze and fine weather throughout; at 9.80 on the 23rd, passed a steamer off Breaker Point, name unknown. In Swatow, the steamer Fu-sing.

The British steamship Danubs reports left Bangkok on 14th August, experienced fine weather and variable winds throughout. Off the Paracels, spoke the British barque Norna, from Singapore to Shanghai, 9 days out, all well, on the 20th-instant. Captain Hopkins reports that cholera had completely disappeared at Bangkok, some time previous to his leaving.

The British bark Soowoomba reports left Newcastle, N.S.W., on 9th June, experienced trong N.N.E. winds on the Australian Coast; after which light Southerly and Easterly winds toxthe Equator: from thence light winds from the Southward and Westword till the last two days, when got fresh N.E. wind to arrival.

The British 3-masted, schooner Rubicon reports left Chefoo on 1st August, had light boutherly and S.W. winds to oil Shanghai; rom thence N.E. winds for two days; after which fresh S.W. winds to Turnabout, from thence to the Brothers light variable winds and calme, and to arrival fresh N.E. winds. The derman bark Talce was in company on the morning of the 24th, from Chefoo to Hong-

The British steamship Priam reports left Shanghai on 15th August, and Woosung Bar on the 19th, in consequence of having taken the Bar on the 16th, and having to discharge cargo; cot off again on the night of the 18th, and proceeded on the following day; had the first lay light Southerly winds and heavy rain; fter which light N.E. winds and calms, and ne weather. On Friday, off Amoy, passed P. & O. steamer, bound North.

The British steamer Indus reports left Liverool on the 2nd July; arrived at Port Said on he 17th, and left on same day; arrived at Suez on the 18th, and left on the 23rd; arrived in Aden on 29th, and left on 30th; arrived at BOOK MUSLIN-OVERSKIRTS, TUNICS, Galle on 8th August, and left on the 9th; arived in Singapore on 16th, and left on the 7th; between Aden and Galle experienced trong monsoon and gales with heavy seas; from singapore to Macclesfield, Bank variable from .W. to West, and heavy squalls, incessunt, At Aden embarked three hundred Dutch troops ind four officers, wrecked in the Red Sea, in Dutch transport ship Tromp; landed them at singapore, en route for Batavia; passed the Dutch ship Egeria, bound into Singapore ou of communication in case of shipwreck; all the 17th instant.

The British ship Americana reports left Car-Mr. Reynolds' experiment were raked up, and fired back in answer. Foreigners diff on let April, experienced strong Westerly daring to erect wooden posts in the interior winds the first ten days out; after which got a was injurious to the Feng-shui and to the agri-strong gale from W.S.W. on the 12th, lasting cultural interests of the people; already it had 24 bours; then S.E. and S.W. winds, ocresulted in loss of life; "and the whole body casionally squally, to the N.E. trade, which got of the people-rushing on like a flood-had, moderate to lat. 2 N.; crossed the Equator on upperled for the arrest of such proceedings." the 4th May, in long. 24.46 W.; after which got The Treaty Consuls rebutted the arguments, strong S.E. trades, which were lost in lat. 24 S. and long. 33 W.; from thence got light winds for Two years later, the Great Northern Tele- two days, then got a moderate gale from the graph Company quietly erected a line of posts N.W., with thick rainy weather till the 13th

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Capt. F. Pico, will have immediate despatch for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co. tf 1309 Hongkong, 12th August, 1873.

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tf 1078 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1873. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. THE A I British Clipper Ship "ZEMINDAR."

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tf 1245 Hongkong, 4th August, 1873. BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR. To H. I. H. the GRAND DUKE ALEXIS of RUSSIA.

T. N. DRISCOLL, CIVIL NAVAL & MILITARY TAILOR. WOOLLEN DRAPER, HATTER, HOSIER, AND GENERAL OUTFITTEE, 45 and 47, Queen's Road, next to Oriental tf [192] Bank, Feb. I. MR. MAURICE ULLMANN

1m 1255 Hongkong, ist August, 1873. DROWN, JONES & CO., UNDERTAKERS, &c., OFFICE-No. 9, HOLLYWOOD ROLD.

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RITS, SODA WATER, &c., and GAME when Gentlemen and Families desirous of patronizing him, are requested to apply at his abons rectness in such declaration.

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t I 1871 Hongkong, Shanghai, Cologna (Germany, MRS. BAKER MAKER. No. 5, OLD BAILEY STREET,

tf.709 Hongkong, 6th May, 1873. A SITUATION WANTED. To Y an experienced Bookkeeper, who is will

ALEXANDRA TERRACE.

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I UNG FAT & Co., Mat-packers, No. 101, 30th instant, at noon. Bonham Strand, Hongkong, having been Money Orders on any of the Money Order estublished for more than 10 years, and nu- Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted meronaly patronized by the Foreign Merchants until 5 P.M. on the 29th instant. with orders for Ten Bags, Tea Rattan, Gunny The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. bags, Rice and other bags, respectfully solleit a the 29th instant. continuance of thopatronage hitherto bestowed. Goods are genuine, and prices moderate. All orders from abroad will be promptly attended to. 3m 1029 Hongkong, 25th June, 1873.

AFONG. DHOTOGRAPHER BY APPOINTMENT TO H. E. SIR ARTHUR KENNEDY, Governor of Hongkong:

H. I.H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS O RUSSIA. Invites inspection of his large Collection

VIEWS of FOOGHOW, SWATOW, HONGRONG

CANTON, and MACAO. WYNDHAM STREET. 6m] (Formerly occupied by Athletic Club.) [51] FOODHOW DOOK.

PAGODA ANCHORAGE. ■ THE above Granite-floored DOCK has lately been LENGTHENED to 400 feet over all, able upon Paid Letters addressed to France and is now capable of receiving vessels up to will henceforward be 12 cents per quarter ounce 350 feet on the keel. The breadth of the Dock | when forwarded by French Mail Packet, and at the bottom is 40 feet, at the top 80 feet, and 18 cents per quarter ounce when forwarded by the width at the entrance is 56 feet. Depth of British Mail Packet. water on the sill 13 feet at average neap, and

17 feet at average spring tides. The Dock has a Caisson Gate, and is pumped General Post-Office, out by steam. A new FOUNDRY for large iron and brass castings has recently been added. The Machine Shop contains a 12-inch Screw postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when Cutting Gap-lathe, Small Lathes, Drilling and forwarded via Southampton, will be 28 cents Screwing Machines, Steam Saw Mill, Large per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid

Dry Godowns are on the premises, available on delivery. for stowage of cargo. &c. A large stock of Timbor, Metal, and other Dock yard Material always on hand. Vessels docked for examination, remetalled resparred, repairs also done in harbour : and iron ships and steamers cleaned and painted, at i moderate charges. Particulars can be obtain-

working order, and is available at all times to Letters forwarded by Batish Packet via Brintow vessels to or from sea, at reasonable rates. dis: JOHN FURSTER & Co. tf 1039 Foochow, 18th June, 1873.

THROUGH U.S. MAIL LINE

CHINA AND JAPAN TO NEW YORK

PACIFIC MAIL S. S. COMPANY IN CONNECTION WITH THE CENTRAL AND UNION PACIFIC

RAILROAD COMPANIES.

THE S. S. " CHINA" will leave Hongkong for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th instant, at 3 o'clock A.M., taking Passengers, Mails and Freight, for General Post-Office, Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Passenger Tickets and Bills Lading are issued for transportation to Yoko hama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco to principal points in the United States, Canada, and Europe, via Overland Railroad and connecting Lines of Stenmers, and to ports in Mexico and Central and South America.

A Steamer of the Company will leave Shanghal about same date, via the Inland Sea Ports and make close connection at Yokohama. The "CHINA" will be due at San Franpisco September 28th, whence daily Passenger trains and daily Freight trains are run over the Central and Union Pacific Railroad General Post-Office Linesfor New York, and for all the principal

cities in the interior and upon the Atlantic Sea-At New York, Passengers have selection of various lines of Steamers to England, France

and Germany.-

f 20% on regular rates. Freight will be received on board until P.M. on the 26th instant. Parcel Packages charge on delivery. will be received at the office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply at the Agency of the Company,

T. A. HARRIS. Hongkong, August 13th, 1872 STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE

GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANGONA, VENICE, MEDI TERRANGAN PORTS, AND SOUTHAMPTON: BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALOUTTA, ANI AUSTRALIA.

Packets of Samples of Merchandize, in addition THE PENINSULAR AND OBJENTAL STRAM to the Rates specified in the Table of Rates of A NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship Postage at present in force " ROEHARA," Captain P. S. Tomlin, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places on General Post Office, SATURDAY, the Suth instant, at noon, proceeding to Southampton via Sucz Canal. Cargo will be received on board until noon, Specie and Parcels at the office until moon or the 29th idem.

and Value of the Packages for the Overland Letters addressed to France per Routeis required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the foregoing articles, with the addition of SPI- Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incor-

The Company reserve the option of forward THE Undersigned have been appointed So:e be furnished, which will be supplied at the same ing all goods shipped by their Steamers for Europe through Egypt, either by rail, or by Canal in their own Steamers, or in vessels employed for the purpose.

> the terms and conditions of the Company's with their centents, to be for feited. Black Bills of Lading A. MOIVER, Superintendent. Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation General Post-Office,

Post-Office Notifications.

A mad will clove. For Manila.—Per eteamer Formoso, to-day, the 25th inst., at 11 80 A.M. For Penang, Sucz, and London -Per Priam,

to-day, the 25th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Manila. - Per Salvadora, to-day, the 25th inst., at 2.30 P.M. For Manifa.—Per Emmy, to-day, the 25th inst., at 8.90 P.M. For Melbourne and Sydney .- Per Brilliant, to-day, the 25th instant, at 3.30 P.M.

Manile, is postponed until further notice. MAILS BY THE "UNITED STATES PACKET."

The departure of the Villa de Rivadavia, for

The United States' Mail Packet " CHINA " COURT MILLINER AND DRESS will be dispatched on WEDNESDAY, the 27th instant, at 3 P.M. with the Mails-For Yokohama, San Francisco, the United States' and the United Kingdom. The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Lotters. Books, Newspapers, &c., until 2.30 F.M.

Letters can be posted on heard the Packet from 2 30 P.M. to 2,50 P.M., on payment of a Lato Feool 12 cents in addition to the Postage. can correspond or act as Shipping Clerk if re- above places by this route is compulsory. Correspondence insufficiently prepaid will be forwarded by the English Packets. Correspondence addressed to Yokohuma and the United States must be supersoribed per CHINA, and that addressed to the United Kingdom must be superscribed "via San Fran-

> cisco.** F. W. MITCHELL. Posimaster General.

Goneral Post Office,

Honglong, 19th August, 1873. MAILS BY THE " ENGLISH PACKET." The English Contract Packet "BOK-HARA" will be dispatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on, SATURDAY, the

Letters, &c., way be posted during the night in the box left open for their reception. Letters for registration will be received until

10 A.M. on the 30th instant. Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 30th instant, without late fee. Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 30th instant, will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee of 18 cents each as well as the postage is The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or

Patterns 10 A.M. on the 30th instant. Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom vil Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 11.30 A.w. to the time of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition ol to the postage.

General Post-Office, Hongkong, 16th August, 1873

It is bereby notified that the postage charge-F. W. MITCHELL.

Hongkong, 20th December, 1871. It is berely notified that henceforward the

letters will be subject to an additional charge F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General:

General Post-Office,

It is hereby notified that the rates of postage United Kingdom, when forwarded by French

> F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General.

which must be paid in advance, will be as follows, viz.:-When forwarded via 34 cents each 4-ounce.

> Southimpton Postmaster General.

It is hereby notified for general information

When forwarded via When forwarded via When forwarded viå Southampton...... 28 cents each half-ounce

Honglong, 28th July, 1870;

Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

two cents on each two ounces of Books and

It is hereby notified that Letters addressed to France may be sent either paid or unpaid at For Particulars regarding Freight and Pas. the option of the sender; but the postage on Prices Current, Newspapers and Books cannot For each townce

Per British Päcket when marked via Alexandria and Marseilles...... 12

General Post-Office.

The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) baving given notice to the General Post Office in Lon-Shippers of cargo for Bombay are requested don that articles of Jewellery received in that to take note, that the Steamers leaving Hong. Colony are chargeable with Customs Duties, kong in correspondence with the Australian the undersigned considers it necessary to make THE Proprietor of WING-KEE Shop begs to Steamers from Galle to Bombay, may call at this Regulation known to the Public, and to state that any letters or packets containing Shippers are particularly requested to note such articles sent through the Post are liable,

Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 16th August, 1873. Hongkong, 2nd January, 1878.

E. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

Postmaster General.

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873. chargeable henceforth on Letters addressed to ed at the Dock, or on application to the under- the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the The Steam Ing Woosung is in thorough Packet, will be the same as those chargeable on

> General Post Office. Hongkong, 29th April, 1872. It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Newfoundland,

When forwarded via \31 Marseilles..... When forwarded vial on

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

vanced) upon letters addressed to Prince Edward Island, will henceforward be as follows, Brindisi 42 cents each half-ounce. Marseilles 36 cents each half-ounce.

that, the Postage (which must be paid in ad-

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster Genera

It is hereby notified for general information, that the Postage on Letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampion, will henceforward be 36 cents for each balf ounce, Return Passage Tickets issued at a reduction | which may either be paid in advance, or it may be left to be collected on delivery of the Letters. Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additional

F. W. MITCHELL. Posimaster General. General Post Office.

It is hereby notified that arrangements have been completed under which correspondence from Hongkong may beforwarded to Nagasaki viå Shangbai, and to Hiego viå Yokolama; by United States' Mail Packets, and that Letters for Hongkong and places beyond Hongkong may be forwarded from Nagasaki and Hiogo by means of the United States' Packets via Shanghai and Yokohama respectively. The rates of postage chargeable on such correspondence is four cents for each half-ounce on Letters, two cents-on each Newspaper, and

Hongkong, 16th January, 1871.

French Packet is...... 12 cents. Per British Packet when marked via

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster Genera Hongkong, 2nd April, 1872.

Postmaster Gerenal

Extracts.

THE SMOKERS REVERIA BY AN OLD BACH. - As I silent smoke my pipe Of penceful meditation, Stealing through my breast I feel A southing consolution. · yEnrible everyente Quick fades flom air,

And visions rire. Unseen by other forms arise And softly float before my eyes. Peace within my bosom roigns, And many a softemetion; While quiet courses through myteins Like some sweet, mothing potion, Whate'er: belide . On every side

The world so wide, All is unseen, unfelt by me While in these realms of phantast. Like a dreamer in the night. Enwrapped in sweetest slumbers, Who heholds some pleasing sight, Or hears, in silvery numbers, Some softening strain That in his bain

To float within his cars when moin From her far journey doth return. Thus I dream-a waking dream-And fairy forms appear. And like the flitting morning bam Appear in gaity near. In pleasing aghts My soul delights,

Lingers, again

As those gay sprights Arising, drest in colors gay, Chuse every thought of care away. As the graceful clouds unour Their airy ringlets free, Or hang like thefleecy purl That borders the foam'd sea. Free fancy brings On airy wings Her offerings Of visions fair and music sweet, And gaily strews them at my feet

Hence! dull world of grief and care And daily murmwing! Mine the world of light and air Ethereal amoke dath bring. Let Bacchus lwine Th' luxuriant vine . O'er Lesbic's shrine-To those who sang, in happy lays, The fragrant weed we give the plaine. -University Echo.

HANDS. Hands are infinitely varied. Their shape,

as different as individuals. There are hands | Travelling Menagerie," by Charles Camden. that seem intellectual in their symmetry. beautiful flexibility and grace of motion. Some are soft and voluptuous, and others precise, striking and brilliant. The form of the hand often expresses the capabilities of the person to whom it belongs. The strong pulms, conical fingers and small thumb indisecond reason. Conical hands with pointed fingers obey inspiration and worship the tenderness than of love and -" delicate fingers that are formed for sensitiveness and sympully of touch and made to minister to pain and grief;" hard hands, that know not tenhands that the heart teaches and guides and softens."

LADIES AND SPORT.

Whether a man about to marry ought to tell his wife that he intends to join the Alpine Club, or spenda season or two shooting tigers after the honeymoon, is what might be termed a nice point for reflection. ing, or to their husbands' shooting even in covert with a scratch parly, might very well skrink from an alliance with a gentleman who had a taste for getting backwards up the Matterhorn, shinning the ascent of Peter Botte, or potting masslavers which have the moiety of an Indian village in their systems. That, however, is a matter for the lady and indeed, and those of recent date enough, in helpmates indeed. It might be remarked that in these adventurous co-partnerships the sort of matrimonial separations which Dr. Johnson, in a conversation with General Paoli, anticipated would occur in the woods between husband and wife, do not happen when the experiment is practically tried "Sir, they would have dissension enough, of another kind. One would choose to go a-hunting in this wood, another in that; or perhaps one would choose to go alunting, when the other would choose to go a dishing; and so they would part."—From "Sporting Rambles and Holiday Papers," by William Barry.

TIN WALL PAPER.

A NEW AND HEALTHFUL SUBSTITUTE. The English Medical Press has the following :- Considerable progress has been made private houses. The new wall decorations walls, on which, without that covering, any in German the "thou" and the "you" have decorative work would soon perish.

The process of executing the painting on both been superseded, and a single person is tin offers no difficulty. The sheets are designated "they," as in the phrase "Wie manufactured of a width and in lengths suitable to their application on the surfaces to be covered. At the manufactors in Paris. the ordinary widths made use of are from thirty to forty inches, and the length five metres, or rather more than five vards. The application of the painted metallic-hangings to either wood, stone plaster, or ironsurfaces, offers no difficulty. The operation is somewhat similar to putting up paperslangings, with this difference—that with the latter the paper is pasted over at the back before being lung, and with the former the surface to be decorated is covered with a thin cost of adhesive varnish, on which, after it has been sir, varying the style of address by such left to dry partially, the painted time affixed with great case. So little is the difficulty | "Most gentle" "Most noble." If you ad that any skilled paper-hanger can, after a dressed your tailor or bootmaker by letter, few hours' practice, do the work successfully, i neither would be surprised, or offended, or From the extreme dexbility of tin foil, suspicious of a joke, if you wrote on the mouldings and cornices are covered with the envelope " Hlustrissimo signore," Most illusmetallic bangings in a most perfect manner. | trions sir, and signed yourself" Vostro deroand with a smoothness of surface and sharp. | tissimo," Your most devoted. These are the ness of outline at the edge and mittes which usual forms employed by the bulk of the the painter's brush cannot rival. The varnish people, by tradesmen, artisans, clerks, serused for fixing the material is of the nature vants, and others, and a servant girl would of gold size, but_more adhesive. Being of not think well of any lower who did not aditself "hydrofuge," it adds to the protection dress her as "Illustrissima signora." The

of the paint against damp.

A MENAGERIE SPEECH ON MONKEYS.

swing themselves from tree to tree. The life. But pinch monkeys and marmosets swarm in the These al forests of tropical America. They are full of apart as a frolic, and of an affectionate disposition by their o They feed on fruits and humming-birds. The lemurs have fox-like heads, and sharp claws on the first fingers of their hind limbs. The other nails are flat. They live on trees, but, unlike the spider monkeys, they cannot swing themselves from bough to bough by their tails. If, however, you present them with a handful of nuts, you will see that they can tackle them as cleverly as the others. The lemurs are natives of Madagascar, and, like the Australian opposums, are liveliest at night, coming home, as the song says, "with tint, the nails, length, width, roundness, are the milk in the morning."-From "The

LETTER-WRITING. The courtesies of letter-writing in the various countries of Europe differ almost as much as their languages. Buffon it was with this who first said that the style is the man. He might have added that the style proclaimed cate in a woman indolence, fancy and feeling. the nation. Perhaps of all the nations of The square hands belong to the intellectual Europe the English are the stiffest and most NORTH and ambitious, and these who love influence formal in their correspondence, more especiand rule. The small, soft, almost fleshless ally with those to whom they are personally hands, but rosy and with knotted fingers; are unknown, and who are their inferiors in rank brilliant and witty. Fingers delicately or social position. If a gentleman or lady, squared at the ends, like those of English when absent from home, has occasion to Above 1 in women, love domestic life. The small thumb write a letter of instructions to a male or and not ex and fingers, broadening at the ends desire female servant, the style is studiously dry ing....... ablivity and a practical knowledge of the and laconic as a telegram; and contains no Above 3 m world. There are smooth and knotted word of complement or courtesy. When and not ex fingers; to the first belongs grace, to the Jones writes to Brown, whom he has never ing..... seen, he addresses him as "Sir," and sub. Ahove 6 up scribes himself "Your obedient humble N.B.beautiful in painting, poetry, romanco and servant;" though he is neither obedient nor charged nature. There are soft hands more capable of humble, and would be offended if you really balance of censidered him to be so. When Brown writes to Robinson, with whom he is on more or less friendly terms, the word "Sir" is too ceut. off to stiff for intimacy, and he addresses him as surers. derness, but are not ignorant of love; "rough | Dear sir," or "My dear sir," or "Dear Robinson," or "My dear Robinson," and subscribes himself "Yours very truly," or "Yours very sincerely," or "Yours faithfully," or "Yours very faithfully." When love letters are in question the style warms, and the "dears," and the "darlings," and the "devotedlies," and the "affectionatolies," come into play. With these I shall not pre- tents will same to meddle. It is with the ordinary tice, viz: Lables who would have no objection to hunt- style of address only that I presume to treat, Detached than which nothing more formal and un. Dwellin meaning can well be imagined. Take for instance the title of esquire, which means a shield-bearer. There are no shields in our days except in the theatres, consequently, there are no shield bearers. The title, even When it was a reality, and signified a true thing, meant nomore than a neephyte in the SHORT not for us. We might find many records profession of arms, and a servant to a superior, who was called a chevalier, a knight, which ladies have boldly accompanied their a rider, or a howeman. In this respect the husbands into the most difficult and trying French are more sensible. They have no regions of sport and travel. These were esquires at all, and Monsieut is as high a title as they usually bestow. The eldest son Above 6 m of the old kings of the Bourbon line was Monsieur par excellence-the Monsieur who took precedence over all other Messieurs whatsoever. They have, however, a far THE greater variety of epistolagy phraseology than the English, and subscribe their letters after a fashion which to an Englishman seems remarkably roundabout, cumbrous, and affected. If they begin with the " Dear sir"-"Cher monsieur"-they end with the lumbering phrase, "Recever, monsieur, l'assurance de la haute consideration avec laquelle j'ai l'honneur d'être votre très humble et très obéissant serviteur." "Ro- Policies ceive, sir, the assurance of the high con- in Londo sideration with which I have the honour to China, as be, your very obedient humble servant." The term of human life ought to extend to Policies issued for long or short periods at at least a hundred and fifty years, if people who write many letters are to append such in the production of a substitute for paper | perorations as this, or others equally wirethat would be a boon to hospitals as well as drawn, which the French delight to employ. The Germans are even more punctilious, to supersede paper hangings and mint are and it requires long study of their language thin sheets of metal, painted over by a and long acquaintance with the people to MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMpatented process. They are artistic in ap- | be able to decide whether a man is simply pearance, like most Freuch products, and to be called "Mein Herr" (sir) or "Hocksaid to be durable. Tinfoil in sheets, thick- geboren er Herr" (high-born sir), or "Hoch necs of ordinary writing paper, is thematerial | und wold gebored er Herr" (high and wellon which this new style of mural decoration, born sir), or "Edel-geboren er Herr" (noblyincluding gilding, is executed. Infoil is born sir), or "Hoch wohl und Edel-geboren pliable and supple, sufficiently tough not to er Herr" (or high, well, and nobly-born sir), be easily torn, and offers a smooth and or, worse or best of all, "Durch lauchtigste! maiform surfare. It forms an excellent base (most serene). And as in English parfor the work executed upon it. It also post lance the strictly grammatical and poetisesses the advantage of being water-proof, a sal "thou," the proper pronoun to property well known to architects and build- be employed when addressing a single indiers, who frequently use it to cover damp | vidual, has been superseded by the plural "you," which means several individuals, so

befinded sie sich?" "How do they find

themselves?" instead of "How do you do?"

excellency," and speak to every one as "she"

or "her." "I will visit you," is rendered "I

will visit her," the feminine pronoun doing duty for the feminine nouns, Grace and Er-

cellency, which are always understood, though

not always expressed. In business the Italians

never use the words Caro signore, or Dear

sir, as the English do, but address their

correspondent as "Pregiatissimo signore,"

or "Stimatissimo signore," Most esteemed

epithets as "Honourable," "Illustrious."

, following letter, translated verbatim, was ad-

dressed, after a quarrel at a drinking bout, by one angry disputant to another, whom he Of monkeys, lidies and gentlemen, there challenged to a duel :- "Most esteemed Sir, are two kinds-those of the Eastern and -Permit me to inform you that you are a those of the Western hemisphere. The for pig. Yes, my beloved one. It is my intenmer have the same number of teeth as we tion in a short time to spoil your heauty. have—that is to say, thirty-two, and nostrils either by sword or pistol. The choice shall that almost run into one another. The lat- be left to you, as both weapons are to me ter have parallel nostrils; and while some quite indifferent. Hoping soon to have the have six grinders on each side of the jaw, pleasure of a cherished answer, I declare others have four more false melars and four myself to be, honourable sir, yours most defewer true molars than the monkeys of the votedly, Carlavene." The stately Spaniards Old World. Observe the chimpanzee in the in addressing a letter of business to a comstriped jersey. Herchews tobacco, and sheds mercial firm, instead of the "Sir" or "Gentears of natural grief for the loss of his tlemen" of the English, or the "Monsieur" spouse, to whom he was tenderly attached. or "Messieurs" of the French, write "Muy That is the orang-otang, which, in its native senor mio" or "Muy senores nuestres," or forests in the Indian Archipelago, roams a "My very sir," or "Our very sirs," and subhairy monarch of the woods, carrying a club scribe themselves "Your very attentive," or in its hand like Hercules. The next speci. "Your very obedient servants." It seems men is a Hannan, or sacred monkey. It is to me that in this busy age the letter-writers looked upon with reverence in India, where of all the world would do well to amend their large flocks, of them go every day to the style of address, and revert to the simple temples, and are fed by the priests and wor. phraseology employed by the ancient Romans. shippers. Yonder you see the gorgeously. How truly courteous was the Roman method. coloured, but forocious mandrill of West If Lucius Vorus wished to write to Scipio Africa. The negroes have to see before it. Africanus, he did not begin "My dear Likea Yorkshiroman, it will keepa stone seven Scipio," and end with "Yours very truly," years in its pocket, and then turn it, but at but went straight to the point, and said, last wreak its vengeance on the object of its " Lucius Verus to Scipio Africanus, greettreacherous rage. It is the floost irritable ing"; after which, without further palaver, animal in all creation, and has been known he would proceed to business. Would it not bours, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships; to die of a wild fit of passion. Those are be a saving of time if we were to imitate this also, Ships Building and Repairing; Barges macaques, and some of them, you will ob. excellent old fashion? And why should not and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and, serve, have not much more of a tail than a Smith minimise trouble by addressing Brown Many cat has. The Barbary ape is the only after the classical method: "Smith to Brown, species of monkey found in Europe, and greeting. Send me ten tons of your best there, in a wild state, it is rapidly becoming | coals—lowest price": or "Jones to Robinextinct. There are only two or three still son, greeting. Will you dine with me next left on the rock of Gibraltar. The spider Thursday at the Megatherium, at six premonkeys come from South America. They cisely?" The one word "greeting" includes Class Risk. have no thumbs; but this want is made up all that is necessary, in the way either of to them by the strength of their tails, by friendship or politeness, and would answer means of which they hang from boughs and every purpose in the ordinary intercourse of

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current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed. LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, on reasonable terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 1963 Hongkong, 26th July, 1872 PANY OF MANCHESTER AND

LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shangbai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 1958 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

IN conformity with the Special Resolutions adopted and confirmed at the Extraor. dinary Meetings of Shareholders held on the 1st and 15th instants, altering Clauses Nos. 130, 131, 132, and 133 of the Articles of Association, (such changes to take effect from lat Novem-The courteous Italians designate every equal ber, 1871), the Net Profits of the Company will and superior as "Your grace," or "Your from that date, be distributed as follows, viz :-Two-thirds (2/3rds) to all contributors, who ther shareholders or not, in proportion

> One-third (1/3rd) to Shareholders generall according to the number of shares held b AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agent

the net amount of premia contributed b

tf 314 Honekong, 16th February, 1872. ORTH SETTISH AND MERCANTIL INSURANCE COMPANY. ·REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached & semi-detached Dwell- | per cen ing Houses, removed from town, and their contents. Other dwelling Housesused strictiv as such, and their contents -Godowns. Offices, Shipps, &c., and } their contents. On and after this date, a discount of 20 p cent, off the above rates will be allowed to I

GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercant Insurance Company. tí 1168 Hongkong, 24th June, 1872.

THE DAILY PRESS. MONDAY, AUGUST 25TH, 1878 PRODUCE HONGKONG MARKETS. Corror, Shanghat, parpicul 16.00 a 18.5 Insurances. Insurances. Ningpo, As Reported by Chinese on the 28rd August, 1878. 16.00 4 16.60 Plontsin, 10.00 à 16.60 COTTON GOODS. NOTICE Shantung, OHINA AND JAPAN MARINE LIROM and after this date the following rates Corron YARR, No. 16 a 24...per picul \$109.0-) a \$115.00 Bongal INSURANCE COMPANY. will be charged for SHORT PERIOD ASSAMURE Japan white,...... THE ATTENTION OF SHIPPERS is call. Insurances. viz:-GRIT SHIBTIRGS, 7 a 74 lbs ... per piece \$2.09 a 2.07 Not exceeding Ten days i of the annual rates. 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Rangoon tf \$63 Hongkong, 9th April 1872 6.80 a 7.20 ALTPETRE ... arrows and areas four ear . 24 ,, & 36 ,, 811.,, tt 678 Hongkong, 28th August 1869 THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE Dand Sported Shiefings,...... English steam, NOTIOE. DYID BROCADS Do. COMPANY, LIMITED. Amorican Authracite DYED DAMASK Do. por piece 6.75 a 800 10.50 a 11.00 Sydney THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. WINDOW GLASS per box. 450 a 4.75 HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. KARDEBROHIERS, Blue..... par don. 0.70 a 0.72 GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of tratta Produce, &c., 0.69×0.70 Brownsessins A China and Japan, and at Singapore, "THE following rates will be charged in future RATTANS, Straits, 0.75 a. 0.82 for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:-Banjar, WELVETS, Black, 92 ins. per yard 0.30 a 0.32 Spinon and Penanc. Pappas Whitemanner ... Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance Not exceeding 10 days, tof the annual rate. 14.20 a 14.50 Black VELVETERS, Black....... Not exceeding 1 month, 2 BRIEL NUT 3.25 a 8.50 granted at the rates of Premium current at the WOOLLEN GOODS. Above 1 month and not1 SANDAL WOOD Malabar..... 3,75 # 4.20 above-mentioned Ports. 17.00 a 18.60 . SPANISH STRIPES, por yard 0.82 a 0.83 No charge for Policy fees. exceeding 3 months... SAPAR Wood, Manile, Loro Ells, MM Scarlet,..... per piece 8.20 a 6.25 Ahovo 3 months and not] JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, 2.25 a 2.60 Frous, California, per sack of 50 be..... exceeding 6 months... Secretary. NORTON, LYALL & Co., HH Boailet, American, per barrel of 200 ba...... Hongkong, 1st Navember, 1871. · [tf 385 Agents the Queen Insurance Company. 1.80 a 1.95 WHEAT, Tientsin,... per pol. 16.50 a 17.00 IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO. 195 a 2.10 tf 242 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. California 18.75 a 19.00 TUGAB, Canton white, 1 a 3 TAOR Insuring Houses and other Buildings' 20.00 a 20.60 IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY 8.60 a 3.60 Goods, Wares Merchandise, Manufactur 22,00 a 22,50 8,20 a 3.30. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. West Coast, Dk. Brown, ing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Har-, Manila, Dry White, 4**27 a 4.5**0 INTIL further notice the following Annual Dk. Brown 3,76 a 3,90 Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance Igon, Nail-Rod Nos. 1 a 8 per picul 4.10 a 4.16 14.80 a 15.00 95 a 2 (1) 4.50 a 4.65 PRIN. White 2.25 a 2.50 Detached & semi-detached Dwell-4.00 a 4.05 1.50 a 1.65 ing Houses removed from town, } | per cent. Small Round Rod,.... 3.95 a 4.00 throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in 10.60 a 11.00 and their contents. FOREIGN COUNTEIES, PROM LOSS OR DAMAGE 28.00 a 87.00 7.00 a 7.20 Ипривоомя, Јарап,....... 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